





WALTER MERRYMAN

OF HARPSWELL, MAINE

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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INTRODUCTION.

Here are the throngs descended from strong Walter,
No neck among them ever felt the halter;
They've sailed the seas from Hong Kong to Gibraltar,
On plain and hill have reared the home and altar—
Typhoon and blizzard never made them falter!
Some elans get fresh, our clan is growing salter.
Read well this book, and thank the Lord for Walter.

CHAS. N. SINNETT.

EDMORE, NORTH DAKOTA.

Thanksgiving Day, 1905.

The account of our Ancestor Walter Merryman varies but little among his descendants. He was kidnapped in an Irish port early in 1700 and brought to Boston, Mass. Here his so-called "passage money" was paid by a Mr. Simonton of Cape Elizabeth, Me., who faithfully taught him the ship carpenter's trade, near Portland. Both these men were sturdy Presbyterians and their good influence is seen unto the last generations of both families.

Mr. George F. Henley of South Portland, Me., writes me as follows: "I went with your grandfather, Capt. James Sinnett of Bailey's Island, Harpswell, Me., to see what we could learn about Ancestor Walter Merryman. We visited some old people, of Simonton descent, and were confirmed in our story of our Merryman ancestor, and that he remained with him some seven years."

Ancestor Walter Merryman married Elizabeth Potter and moved to the old farm not far above the Harpswell Center (Me.) Church. He was one of the most upright and sturdy of the early settlers of the town. The coat-of-arms of the Merrymans shows that the family was one of valor and

worth across the seas. Some claim his ancestors were Scotch; others say they were English. It is the purpose of the author of this book to collect all early history of the Merrymans as soon as possible, and he will be very grateful for any help in this important work. The results of this research will be sent to all who are interested in the family history.

Elizabeth Potter was descended from Anthony Potter, b. in England, 1628, and came to Ipswich, Mass., 1688. He married Elizabeth Whipple.

Sammel Potter, son of this ancestor, married Joanna Woods.

David Potter, son of Sammel, was born at Ipswich, Mass., March 27, 1685, and married Mary Merriam of Lynn, Mass. In 1738 David Potter moved to Topsham, Me., with his three sons, William, James and Alexander. Elizabeth Potter is claimed to have been the daughter of David Potter and Mary Merriam. Nothing further has been found, save the well-known fact that this was a family of sturdy faith and deeds.

The sons of Ancestor Walter Merryman and Elizabeth Potter will each be traced in a separate section in the following pages. Of the daughters,

- (2) Frances Merryman m. in Jan., 1766, Andrew Jack of the celebrated Scotch-Irish colony at Topsham, Me.
- (2) Miriam Merryman m. Robert Potter of Topsham, Me.
- (2) Mary Merryman m. Jonathan Weymouth, Dec. 14, 1775.

The author has many records of the descendants of these daughters, which will be given in the history of the families into which they married, as I am preparing a history of all the old families of Harpswell, Brunswick, Topsham, Bowdoinham, Bowdoin, etc.

Many thanks to the scores of people who have so kindly helped in the preparation of this book.

SECTION FIRST.

The descendants of Thomas Merryman², son of Ancestor Walter Merryman and Betsy Potter.

- (2) Thomas Merryman, b. Harpswell Me., 1738; d. Oct. 5, 1813 (75y.); m., March 26, 1763, Sarah Bailey⁵, b. Hanover, Mass., March 13, 1739; d. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 5, 1824. She was the daughter of Dea. Timothy Bailey⁴, for whom Bailey Island at Harpswell, Me., was named, and of his first wife, Sarah Buck, who d. Oct. 9, 1740. Dea. Timothy Bailey was b. Hanover, Mass., March 20, 1709; the son of John Bailey³ and Abigail Clapp, and the grandson of John Bailey² and Sarah White, and great-grandson of Thomas Bailey¹, who was at Boston, Mass., 1643, and who probably settled at Weymouth, Mass., with his wife, Ruth.

The above Sarah White², who m. John Bailey, was the daughter of Peregrine White², who was born on the *Mayflower*, 1620, and d. July 20, 1704; and grandson of William White¹, who came to Plymouth, Mass., on the *Mayflower*.

CHAPTER I.

The first child of Thomas Merryman² and his wife, Sarah Bailey⁵:

- (3) Sarah Merryman, b. Harpswell Me., 1763; m., Dec. 9, 1784, Joseph Ewing, Jr., b. ———.
- (4) Sally Ewing, b. June 28, 1785; d. March 17, 1866 (81y., Sm.); m. Capt. Jesse Snow, b. July 25, 1799; d. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 19, 1872, of Truro, Mass., and East Harpswell, Me.

- (5) Hannah Snow, b. Dec. 22, 1803.
- (5) Margaret Snow, b. Sept. 2, 1805; m., May 17, 1826, Reuben Dyer of Lisbon, Me.
- (5) Thomas E. Snow, b. July 15, 1807; m. (first), 186-, Louisa Given of Wales, Me., who d. Nov. 6, 1846 (38y.); m. (second), Mrs. Watson of Hallowell, Me.
- (5) Anthony Snow, b. Dec. 16, 1809; d. Sept., 1809.
- (5) Hannah Snow, b. Dec. 29, 1813; d. single.
- (5) Jesse Snow, b. Sept. 25, 1814; d. ———; m. Elmira Williams, b. Nov. 5, 1815.
- (5) Elisha Snow, b. March 25, 1815; d. at sea, young; single.
- (5) Joseph Snow, b. Feb. 24, 1817; m. Sarah Jane Morse of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Martha Snow, b. April 9, 1820; d. March 10, 1855; single.
- (5) Mary Snow, b. July 16, 1822; m. ——— Downs.
- (5) Alfred Snow, b. Aug. 30, 1824; m., Dec. 14, 1848, Alice Chase of Brunswick, Me.
- (4) Wm. Ewing, b. Jan. 30, 1787; m., April 2, 1809, Margaret Bishop, who soon died; daughter of Abner Bishop and Mary Orr.
- (5) Wm. Ewing.
- (5) Sally Ewing, b. Bowdoin, Me., Jan. 2, 1823; m. B. Franklin Higgins.
- (4) Thomas Ewing, b. March 15, 1789; d. single.
- (4) Peggy Ewing, b. May 14, 1793; d. Oct. 16, 1804; single.
- (4) James Ewing, b. Jan. 3, 1796; d. June 2, 1852; m., Nov. 14, 1849, Olive Ewing; no children.
- (4) Mary Ewing, b. April 29, 1799; d. June 10, 1880 (81y.); m., Nov. 18, 1824, Elisha Coombs of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Isaac; Albert; James Allen; Lydia Raymond; Matilda; John Henry; Abijah William.

CHAPTER II.

Records of the second child of Thomas Merryman and Sarah Bailey:

- (3) Thomas Merryman, b. 1765; d. Jan. 19, 1827 (62y.); m., April 12, 1786, Mary Melcher², b. Brunswick, Me., 1766; d. May 10, 1839 (73y.); daughter of Ancestor Joseph Melcher¹ of Brunswick, Me., and Mary Cobb.
- (4) Timothy Merryman, b. Nov. 16, 1786; d. Mercer, Ill., April 19, 1873. "He was a faithful member of the Bap-

tist church at Moline, Ill., and his children united with that church. He was rather a stout man, about five feet, eight inches, in height. A steady-going, hard-working man, and not very much of a talker. In Maine he was a ship carpenter by trade. He enlisted in the 1812 War. He was either an officer or had the promise of being one. His old record was well kept in the Illinois home. The war closed before he could do any service. Soon after his marriage he moved to Chesterville, Me., and all of his children were born in that town.

"In November, 1837, he moved to a farm in Mercer County, Ill., at Richland Grove on the Edwards River. On the stream he built a sawmill, which he and his boys ran in connection with the farm, mostly sawing hardwood lumber for themselves and their neighbors."

One who lived near says: "I had reason to feel proud of our relation to Timothy Merryman, as I glance back over the early settlement of Illinois. I was acquainted with each member of the family and knew their sterling qualities as pioneers in that great state, where they were always found on the side of the church and school and the building up of society and good citizenship. As most of the family were good vocal and instrumental musicians, they helped in scores of ways. The family was one of excellent habits. All the children had strong constitutions and lived to a good old age. They were sturdy Republicans."

The son, Timothy Dunning Merryman, of Los Angeles, Cal., says of the trip to Illinois: "In 1837, my mother, brothers, Ira and David, and sisters, Thirza and Elizabeth, and myself, started from Chesterville, Me., in a two-horse wagon. At Wheeling, Va., mother, brother Ira and sister Thirza, took a steamboat down the Ohio River and up the Mississippi to Rock Island, Ill., while Elizabeth, David and myself kept on by land to our new home. So I have traveled the whole breadth of the continent with team and wagon."

Timothy Merryman m., June 23, 1812, Elizabeth Dunning¹, b. Brunswick, Me., Wednesday, June 12, 1789; d. in Illinois Oct. 15, 1853; daughter of David Dunning² and Elizabeth Hunt; granddaughter of Lieut. James Dunning², b. in England 1691; d. Brunswick, Me., June 8, 1752; great-granddaughter of Ancestor Andrew Dunning¹ and Susan Bond,

- (5) Albert Dunning Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Saturday, Nov. 7, 1812; d. Dec. 22, 1892; m., in Chesterville, Me., Aug. 25, 1836, Jane Patten, b. Wells, Me.; d. Sept. 17, 1905 (94y., 3m., 12d.); she went to Illinois just after the Black Hawk War and did not see the face of a white woman for months, as the nearest neighbors were miles away.
- (6) Emily Merryman, b. Richland Grove Township, Mercer County, Ill., Sept. 9, 1837; resides Asheville, N. C.; m., Thursday, Dec. 13, 1860, at 7 o'clock p. m., Samuel Gowans Chancy, b. Chesterville, Me., Sept. 9, 1837; son of Josiah Chancy and Elizabeth Gowens. He learned the carpenter's trade of his father, who was a shipbuilder at Portland, Me.; worked at this about twenty years of his life; he was a hardware merchant for 12 years in Nebraska. He says, "I have improved all opportunities of preaching the Gospel, first as a Wesleyan Methodist, then as a Congregationalist, and now as a Seventh Day Adventist."
- (7) Albert S. Chancy, b. Oct. 4, 1862; d. Oct. 1, 1863.
- (7) Mary A. Chancy, b. Jan. 1, 1867; resides near Boise City, Idaho; m., June 26, 1884, Benjamin H. McGrew of Ainsworth, Neb. He resides on a fruit farm, but does a large abstract business.
- (7) John Albert Chancy, b. at Bluff Township, Ill., Aug. 14, 1869; has been a very devoted missionary in Africa; last of all in Matabeleland, South Africa, as a Seventh Day Adventist.
- (7) Frank Lawrence Chancy, b. Sanders County, Neb., April 7, 1872; with his wife doing noble missionary work at Asheville, N. C.; m., at Battle Creek, Mich., April 29, 1897, Bertha C. Shanks.
- (7) Arvilla Jane Chancy, b. Wahoo, Neb., June 25, 1881.
- (6) Amanda Merryman, b. June 25, 1839; d. Jan. 30, 1855.
- (6) Joseph Perry Merryman, b. Sept. 28, 1840; d. July 3, 1842.
- (6) Henry Merryman, b. Jan. 6, 1843; farmer; resides New Windsor, Ill.; m., Dec. 29, 1870, Flora T. Peters, b. Erie, Ill., July 25, 1850; d. March 30, 1902; daughter of Jerome Peters and Fidelia ———.
- (7) Winifred Merryman, b. April 3, 1872; d. Sept. 24, 1872.
- (7) Ethel Lunette Merryman, b. July 16, 1873; m., Aug. 29, 1900, Rev. J. C. Huffman.
- (8) Helen M. Huffman, b. Dec. 17, 1902.

- (7) Harry Leslie Merryman, b. March 25, 1875; farmer; m., Jan. 18, 1905, Mary E. Garrett.
- (7) Bertha May Merryman, b. Feb. 15, 1877.
- (7) Lora Edith Merryman, b. Sept. 5, 1878.
- (7) Edna Aurilla Merryman, b. Sept. 8, 1886; teacher.
- (7) Clarence Winfield Merryman, b. Feb. 24, 1891.
- (6) Dr. Thomas J. Merryman, b. May 31, 1845; resides Lincoln, Neb. In his boyhood days he worked on the farm in the summer and attended the district school in the winter; in 1863 went to Moline, Ill., to attend school; April 2, 1865, united with the Baptist church at Moline, Ill.; in March, 1866, began the study of medicine with Dr. R. F. Baker of Moline, Ill.; Oct., 1866, went to Chicago (Ill.) Medical School; Feb. 27, 1868, graduated from Hahnemann Medical College; March, 1869, graduated from New York City Homeopathic Medical College; April, 1869, located at Aledo, Ill.; 1887, moved to Nebraska City, Neb.; 1889, located at University Place, near Lincoln, Neb.; m. (first), Nov. 10, 1869, at New York City, Abbie Jennie Utter, who d. April 6, 1881; m. (second), Aug. 15, 1882, Lillie A. Wingate.

Children of first wife:

- (7) Edith Alberta Merryman, b. March 25, 1871; d. Aug. 5, 1871.
- (7) Amy Patten Merryman, b. May 7, 1874.
- (7) Cheever H. Merryman, b. July 26, 1877; d. May 5, 1881.
- (7) William Albert Merryman, b. Sept. 12, 1879.

Child of second wife:

- (7) Ethel Merryman, b. Oct. 16, 1888; d. May 30, 1889.
- (6) Wm. Albert Merryman, b. Sept. 7, 1847; d. Oct. 11, 1856.
- (6) Ann Elizabeth Merryman, b. March 2, 1850; d. Jan. 30, 1855.
- (6) Sidney B. Merryman, b. Sept. 13, 1852; resides Melrose, Fla.; has been a farmer in Illinois, Nebraska and North Dakota; m., 1877, Rose Etta Merryman², b. St. Albans, Me., April 19, 1857; daughter of Thomas Merryman⁴ and Hannah Ann Rollins; she was a very successful teacher in Illinois.
- (7) Vincent Leroy Merryman, b. June 24, 1878.
- (7) Wilbur Lyle Merryman, b. Feb. 23, 1880; d. March 27, 1880.
- (7) Anne Jeannette Merryman, b. Oct. 31, 1881.

- (7) Albert Sidney Merryman, b. June 17, 1884.
- (7) Rosa Mabel Merryman, b. July 31, 1885; d. Sept. 10, 1886.
- (7) Marian Thomas Merryman, b. June 1, 1888; d. Nov. 26, 1888.
- (6) Marion Josiah Merryman, b. May 7, 1856; resides near Windsor, Ill.; he owns the old homestead farm to which his grandfather moved in 1837; buyer and shipper of stock; m. Mamie A. Watson, b. North English, Iowa, Jan. 2, 1859.
- (5) Almira Ross Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Wednesday, March 19, 1815; d. Jan. 22, 1863; m. April 4, 1839, Parker Tenney, b. New Ipswich, N. H., Aug 14, 1808; d. Dec. 1, 1857. He moved, Oct., 1836, from Lempster, N. H., to Oxford, Ohio; then to a home on a farm at Preemption, Ill. By trade a cooper; justice of the peace; a man of sterling qualities without the least ostentation; his home was a most hospitable one; son of Joseph Parker Tenney; grandson of Samson Tenney and Sarah Parker of New Ipswich, N. H.
- (6) Samson Merryman Tenney, b. March 2, 1841; resides at Ida Grove, Iowa; served nearly three years in the Civil War, and was honorably discharged; farmer; m., March 24, 1875, Anna Baker.
- (7) Louise May Tenney, b. Sept. 11, 1876; a fine pianist and music teacher.
- (7) Edgar Lamont Tenney, b. Feb. 8, 1879; schoolteacher.
- (7) Charles Parker Tenney, b. Nov. 13, 1882.
- (7) Florence Baker Tenney, b. Jan. 21, 1888.
- (6) Joseph Parker Tenney, b. Dec. 13, 1842; d. March 16, 1843.
- (6) Sarah Luellen Tenney, b. March 27, 1844; m. 1866, John Jacob Krause, b. Ida Grove, Iowa; d. March 9, 1889; farmer; soldier in the Civil War.
- (7) Penilla Maria Krause, b. Dec. 19, 1866; teacher; m., Feb., 1890, Fred Usher.
- (7) William Sampson Krause, b. Jan. 3, 1868; d. in infancy.
- (7) Ora Luellen Krause, b. Oct. 9, 1870; teacher; m., Dec., 1898, George Sabin.
- (7) Jennie L. Krause, b. Dec. 19, 1872; m., Nov. 26, 1890, E. A. Bailey.
- (7) Mary Maud Krause, b. March 13, 1876; teacher.
- (7) Clara Almira Krause, b. Oct. 24, 1878; teacher.
- (7) Clarence Tenney Krause, b. April 25, 1882.

- (6) Mary Elizabeth Tenney, b. Jan. 13, 1846; d. Feb. 17, 1872; m., Dec. 25, 1867, Dr. James S. Roseberry of Rock Island, Ill.
- (7) Fred Sampson Roseberry, b. Oct. 11, 1868.
- (7) Frank Tenney Roseberry, b. July 2, 1870.
- (7) Mary Philena Roseberry, b. Jan. 3, 1872; d. Aug., 1872.
- (6) Maria Jeannette Tenney, b. Feb. 22, 1848.
- (6) Lyman Laurie Tenney, b. April 5, 1850; farmer; resides Ida Grove, Iowa.
- (6) Josephine Turner Tenney, b. Nov. 27, 1852; d. Nov. 17, 1870.
- (6) Philena Maria Tenney, b. Oct. 10, 1854; d. Nov. 15, 1870.
- (6) Jenny Lind Tenney, b. May 19, 1857; resided Cambridge, Ill.; now at Alhambra, Cal.; m. (first), Nov. 26, 1879, Samuel M. Bristol, who d. Nov. 30, 1885; farmer; m. (second), May 8, 1897, Horace Van Briggs.

Child of first husband:

- (7) Arba Martin Bristol, b. May 7, 1883; d. Nov. 22, 1885.
- (6) Thirza Lovina Tenney, b. Oct. 11, 1859; d. Nov. 20, 1870.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Wednesday, April 23, 1817; d., Moline, Ill., June 1, 1899; settled at Moline, Rock County, Ill.; m. (first), in Maine, March 14, 1841, Mary E. Chaney, who d. Feb. 6, 1872.
- (6) Frances Emma Merryman, b. Berwick, Me., Aug. 25, 1842; d. Millersburgh, Ill., Nov. 18, 1880; m., at Richland Grove, Ill., Aug. 6, 1862, Joseph David Stratton, b. Wilmington, Ohio, April 9, 1839; son of David Stratton and Harriet Hinman; he is a canvasser for fruit trees; made his permanent home at Kewanee, Ill.
- (7) Clarence Merryman Stratton, b. Millersburg, Ill., Sept. 17, 1863; d. Sept. 4, 1865.
- (7) Ora Amanda Stratton, b. July 28, 1865; m., June 1, 1892, William Edgar Sweet, b. Kewanee, Ill., Jan. 10, 1867; he is superintendent in Maleable Iron Works.
- (8) Ralph Edgar Sweet, b. Jan. 27, 1894.
- (7) Frank Paul Stratton, b. Jan. 10, 1867; clerk in dry goods store, Aledo, Ill.; m., Oct. 23, 1895, Bird Marquis, b. Aledo, Ill., Oct. 10, 1867; daughter of Thomas A. Marquis and Martha ———.
- (8) Frances Jean Marquis, b. Jan. 27, 1897.
- (8) George Marquis, b. Sept. 27, 1898.

- (7) George Chancy Stratton, b. Sept. 3, 1868; m., March 27, 1895, Bessie Palmer, b. Kewanee, Ill., Feb. 14, 1873; daughter of Aaron Palmer and Prudence ———.
- (8) Frank Palmer Stratton, b. April 7, 1896.
- (8) Genevieve Stratton, b. Dec. 29, 1897.
- (7) Ralph Waverly Stratton, b. Sept. 15, 1875; d. Aug. 8, 1876.
- (7) Lillie May Stratton, b. Dec. 24, 1878; d. Jan. 18, 1879.
- (6) Arvilla Blodgett Merryman, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Oct. 13, 1846; d. Aledo, Ill., Feb. 24, 1889; m., Nov. 13, 1864, Samuel Wharton, b. May 22, 1836, at Zanesville, Ohio; agent for Barker's Insurance Co.; son of Jacob Wharton and Mary Richard.
- (7) Willard Allen Wharton, b. Millersburgh, Ill., Jan. 1, 1867; farmer near Phoenix, Ariz.; m., about 1892, at Aledo, Ill., Jessie M. Edwards, daughter of John Edwards and Mary ———.
- (8) Mary Edwards Wharton, b. Dec., 1896.
- (7) Nellie Maria Wharton, b. June 9, 1870; m., 1892, B. C. Hollingsworth, a jeweler at Aledo, Ill.
- (8) Shore Wharton Hollingsworth, b. April 10, 1893.
- (8) Loren Hollingsworth, b. 1895.
- (8) Chancy Hollingsworth, b. Oct., 1896.
- (7) Louis Leroy Wharton, b. Aledo, Ill., Dec. 24, 1874; life insurance agent.
- (7) Lorena Lota Wharton, b. Sept. 17, 1876.
- (7) Mary Louise Wharton, b. July 11, 1880.
- (7) James Frederic Wharton, b. March 28, 1882.
- (6) Lillie May Merryman, b. May 9, 1858.
- (5) David Dunning Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Wednesday, May 12, 1819; d. March 28, 1891; m. (first), Phoebe Hibben; (6) Two children; m. (second), May ———.

Children of second wife:

- (6) Four children of this second marriage are all alive.
- (6) Franscena; Nelson; Florence; Perry; George; Charles; Frank; Fannie.
- (5) Joseph Melcher Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Tuesday, Jan. 1, 1822; d. June 10, 1904. He moved from Maine to Illinois when about 15 years old; attended school at Rock Island, Ill.; worked at the carpenter's trade. His home was in Moline, Ill., from 1844 to 1853. He was then on a farm at Mercer County, Illinois, for a few years; then worked at his trade in Moline, Ill., until

1872; then remained on the farm until 1883; after that he lived in Denver, Col. His was truly an honorable and successful life, in which he won the love and respect of all who knew him. M. (first), March 16, 1847, Angeline L. Bartlett, b. Bergen, N. Y., Feb. 27, 1827; d. June 16, 1861; daughter of William Culver Bartlett and Catherine Culver; m. (second), Harriet Amanda Bartlett, b. Preble, N. Y., April 2, 1833; d. April 22, 1874; sister of the first wife.

Children of first wife:

- (6) Helen Maria Merryman, b. Moline, Ill., Oct. 4, 1848; d. Jan. 25, 1898; m., March 19, 1867, at Port Byron, Ill., James G. Hartzell, b. Dec. 18, 1839; resides Golden, Col.
- (7) Lester James Hartzell, b. Jefferson County, Col., March 21, 1871; resides Phillipsburg, Mont.; graduated, June 11, 1895, from School of Mines, Golden, Col.; chief chemical assayer of the Granite Bimetallic Mining Company; assistant professor of chemistry, Montana State School of Mines, Butte, Mont.; m., Dec. 31, 1896, Emma Hocking, b. March 29, 1876, daughter of Simeon Hocking.
- (8) Lester James Hartzell, Jr., b. Feb. 29, 1904.
- (7) Harry L. Hartzell, b. Jefferson County, Col., Dec. 19, 1875; farmer at Golden, Col.
- (7) Roy Allen Hartzell, b. Jefferson County, Col., July 6, 1881.
- (6) May Louise Merryman, b. Moline, Ill., Aug. 11, 1850; resides 2127 W. 46th Street, Denver, Col.; a very successful teacher; m., Dec. 22, 1878, R. S. Allen, an editor, now mining and reporting on mines at Silver City, New Mexico.
- (6) Lester Pearl Merryman, b. Moline, Ill., March 1, 1852; m., Aug. 17, 1877, at Trenton, Nev., Ellen Johnson. He is agent of the North American Trading & Transportation Company, with trading quarters at Eagle City, Alaska. He made a trip to Dawson in the fall of 1896, braving the dangers of the overland trip from Skagway via the Chilcoot Pass.
- (7) Laura Elizabeth Merryman, b. Aug. 5, 1882.
- (7) Edith Merryman (dead).
- (7) Lynn Merryman.
- (6) Eliza Ann Merryman, b. Richland Grove, Ill., July 23, 1854; resides at Fort Logan, Col.; m., Nov. 26, 1869, W. C. Henry, formerly of Denver, Col.

- (7) Laura Ella Henry, b. Denver, Col., Oct. 3, 1880.
 - (7) Carl Henry, b. Golden, Col., Aug. 22, 1882.
 - (7) Mary Frances Henry, b. Jefferson County, Colorado,
Dec. 1, 1883.
 - (7) Blossom Henry, b. March 1, 1885.
 - (7) Annie Merryman Henry, b. May 24, 1886.
 - (7) Francis Joseph Henry, b. July 23, 1889.
 - (7) William Charles Henry, b. Nov. 16, 1894.
 - (6) Emily Elizabeth Merryman, b. Richland Grove, Ill.,
Feb. 25, 1856; resides at Rivola Township, Ill.; m.,
Jan. 29, 1886. William Nelson Powell, b. Rivola Town-
ship, Ill., May 15, 1858.
 - (7) Still A. Powell, b. Dec. 5, 1881; d. Sept. 3, 1882.
 - (7) Harry Nelson Powell, b. May 19, 1883.
 - (7) Archie Edwin Powell, b. Aug. 28, 1890.
 - (6) Thirza Irene Merryman, b. Richland Grove, Ill., Jan.
5, 1858; m., at Denver, Col., Joseph G. Schnell of
Golden, Col.
 - (6) Edwin Joseph Merryman, b. Mercer County, Illinois,
July 6, 1859; m. Mary Louise Gilman.
 - (6) Angeline Rosalia Merryman, b. Mercer County, Illinois,
April 23, 1861; resides Canon City, Col.; a fine
teacher.
- Children of the second marriage of Joseph Melcher Merry-
man:
- (6) Olive Winnifred Merryman, b. Dec. 19, 1867; d. May 11,
1868.
 - (6) Herbert Eugene Merryman, b. Moline, Ill., Oct. 2, 1869;
resides Cripple Creek, Col.; graduated at School of
Mines, Golden, Col.; an engineer of mines and
mining; m., at Denver, Col., 1895. Mary A. Putnam of
Denver, Col.
 - (7) Angeline Louise Merryman, b. Oct., 1897.
 - (5) Elizabeth Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Monday, June
7, 1824; d. July 29, 1849; m., Nov. 25, 1842, Edwin
Littlefield of Canton, Ill.,
 - (6) The children all died in infancy—Olive; Frank; Eme-
line and Edwin.
 - (5) Timothy Dunning Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Jan.
11, 1827; resides 820 Hivver Street, Los Angeles, Cal.;
m., Dec. 1, 1864. Mary Manning.
 - (6) The adopted daughter, Nellie Littlefield, is a young
lady of strong Christian character.

(See Note 1 for Mr. T. D. Merryman's account of his trip across
the plains to California in 1853.)

- (5) Ira Merryman, b. Sept. 25, 1829; a farmer at Pickering, Mo. He went to California in 1853, driving an ox team across the plains; worked by the day and month for six months; then in the mines for three years; returned to the Mercer County, Illinois, farm, fall of 1857; in 1870 moved to Missouri; m., Sept. 15, 1858, Jane Wood, b. Madison, Ohio, Oct. 28, 1835; a fine Christian woman; daughter of Jonathan Wood and Lydia Sullivan.
- (6) Thirza Clarinda Merryman, b. Dec. 15, 1859; m. John W. Awalt.
- (7) Nellie Awalt, b. Jan. 1, 1880.
- (7) Frank Leslie Awalt, b. Nov. 11, 1889.
- (6) Andrew J. Merryman, b. Jan. 12, 1861; m., May 29, 1897, in Buros, Col., Ruby Norris.
- (7) Lillie T. Merryman, b. April 5, 1898.
- (6) Dora Merryman, b. Oct. 19, 1862; resides Denver, Col.; dressmaker and milliner.
- (6) Lydia Cora Merryman, b. July 25, 1864; dressmaker and milliner at Denver, Col.
- (6) Ida Alma Merryman, b. June 8, 1866; resides near Galma, Kan.; m., 1881, Enoch Tucker.
- (6) David Orrin Merryman, b. July 23, 1868; was a miner at Butte, Montana; then went to Eagle City, Alaska.
- (6) Ira Clinton Merryman, b. June 20, 1870.
- (6) Mary Ella Merryman, b. Oct. 29, 1872.
- (5) Thirza Ann Judson Merryman, b. Chesterville, Me., Jan. 14, 1833; resides 1821 6th Avenue, Moline, Ill.; m., in Moline, Ill., Jan. 1, 1861, Robinson Nye, son of Joseph and Mary Freeman; b. Fairfield, Me., Aug. 7, 1827; contractor and builder.
- (6) Elizabeth May Nye, b. Moline, Ill., Dec. 25, 1863; has resided at 2324 Pleasant Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn., for some years; m., Oct. 20, 1888, John H. McEnery; he is a grain and commission merchant.
- (7) Dale Robert McEnery, b. July 13, 1890.
- (7) Mildred Ann McEnery, b. March 21, 1893.
- (6) Robert Nye, b. Nov. 20, 1867; graduated Golden, Col., School of Mines, 1897, as a mining engineer; was for sometime at Boise City, Idaho; then 85 miles from there with a mining company; resides Grass Valley, Cal.; m., July 12, 1904, Lillian Emerich; b. Quincy, Ill., Oct. 2, 1873; daughter of Henry Emerich and Caroline Ruff.
- (6) Wilfrid Curtis Nye, b. Jan. 1, 1871; resides 321 East 25th Street, Minneapolis, Minn.; for six years worked

in the office of a lumbering company at Moline, Ill.; moved to Minneapolis, 1898, and is bookkeeper with the Washburn-Crosby Flour Company; m., April 22, 1902, Clarice Findly; (7) son, b. April 13, 1905.

- (6) Carl Merryman Nye, b. March, 1874; in 1897 graduated from Illinois State University at Champaign, Ill.; resides Moline, Ill.

"The above children are all good and filial; all members of churches; have paid their own way since graduating at the high school; in all ways they are children for which to be thankful."

- (4) Nathaniel Merryman, b. Oct. 25, 1788; d. April 10, 1876; farmer; lived at Oak Hill, Brunswick, Me.; m. (first), July 2, 1809, Nancy Woodside, b. July 25, 1789; d. Aug. 13, 1830; daughter of William Woodside and Katherine Hidden; m. (second), Charity Matthews, b. Sept. 16, 1792; d. April 19, 1863; daughter of John Matthews and Rebecca Holbrook.

Children of the first marriage:

- (5) George H. Merryman, b. Nov. 3, 1809; m. Elizabeth Page; on the death of their mother the children were quite widely scattered.
- (6) Nancy Merryman was adopted by Miss Nancy Prescott; she m. Freeman Lapham of Freeport, Me., and resides on a farm at Brunswick, Me.
- (7) Ralph Lapham.
- (6) Martha Merryman, deceased; m. Mr. Card; no children.
- (6) William Merryman. He went to sea and was not heard from.
- (6) Fred Merryman married and lived out West.
- (6) Charlie Merryman.
- (6) George Merryman, m. a Miss Wellington at Keene, N. H.
- (7) Two boys and one girl.
- (5) Susan W. Merryman, b. Sept. 6, 1811; d. May 21, 1886; m. (first), Reuben Murray; m. (second), his brother, John Murray, b. Oct. 11, 1818; d. Oct. 28, 1894. He was a farmer and mechanic at Oak Hill, Brunswick, Me.
- (6) Hannah Murray, b. Oct. 16, 1838; d. Oct. 10, 1839.
- (6) Charles G. Murray, b. May 2, 1841; d. Feb. 9, 1899; m., Jan. 12, 1869, Maria E. Toothaker of Brunswick, Me., daughter of John Toothaker and Ellen ———.
- (7) Mabel E. Murray, b. Jan. 6, 1873.
- (6) Palmer Tobie Murray, b. May 28, 1844; tailor at Mechanic Falls, Me.; m. (first), May 17, 1874, Ida F.

- Moore, who d. at Sioux Falls, S. D., May 27, 1889, daughter of Wm. Moore of Mechanic Falls and Mary E. ———; m. (second), Sept. 9, 1893, Mrs. Jennie Auburns Brown, *nee* Lunt, b. New York City, July 31, 1850; daughter of James Lunt and Sarah H. Woodside of Brunswick, Me.
- (6) Alfred Merryman Murray, b. July 16, 1816; resides Brunswick, Me.; dealer in long and short ladders; m., Feb. 17, 1875, Vina Estelle Prince, b. Cumberland, Me., June 19, 1851; daughter of James E. Prince and Hannah Hicks.
- (7) Minnie Belle Merryman, b. March 18, 1876; m., Oct. 14, 1903, William Henry Mace; grocer.
- (8) Ida Francis Mace, b. Dec. 19, 1901.
- (7) Susan Lena Merryman, b. March 18, 1887.
- (5) Henry Merryman, b. April 10, 1813; d. June 14, 1841.
- (5) William Merryman, b. April 29, 1815; d. April 22, 1832.
- (5) Mary F. Merryman, b. May 28, 1817; d. Bath, Me.
- (6) Thomas Emery Morse, b. June 1, 1847; blacksmith and farmer; in Colorado, 1882-'94; m., July, 1880, Ellen Wilson, b. Brunswick, Me., Nov. 1, 1852; daughter of John Wilson and Susan Gummer.
- (7) Susan Evelyn Morse, b. Dec. 8, 1881; graduated Brunswick, Me., High School, 1901; bookkeeper.
- (6) Angeline E. Morse, b. Oct. 28, 1838; resides Pennellville, Brunswick, Me.; m., Nov. 11, 1871, Capt. Francis E. Otis, b. Jan. 30, 1834.
- (7) Grace Idella Otis, b. May 15, 1872.
- (6) Joseph Edwin Morse, b. Sept. 2, 1840; carpenter at Bath, Me.; m. (first), 1861, Rose James of Brunswick, Me., who d. soon after her marriage; daughter of Samuel James and Harriet; m. (second), Aug. 11, 1871, Olive Sackett of Springfield, Mo.; m. (third), Frances Stevens of Bath, Me.

Children of second wife:

- (7) Rose E. Morse, b. June 3, 1872; m., June 5, 1892, Israel Leavitt of East Harpswell, Me.
- (8) Bertie Leavitt, b. June 22, 1893.
- (7) Edwin Emery Morse, b. Feb. 17, 1873; m., June 17, 1899, Alice Pero.
- (7) Charles Lewis Morse, b. Nov. 13, 1875.
- (7) Albert Morse, b. May 8, 1877.
- (7) Jessie Morse, b. Nov. 3, 1878.
- (7) Lena Otis Morse, b. Dec. 19, 1879.

(7) Nellie Morse, b. March 30, 1882.

(7) Olive Morse, b. June 21, 1884.

Children of third wife:

(7) James Lincoln Morse, b. May 26, 1892.

(7) Fanny May Morse, b. Nov. 30, 1893.

(7) Lottie Morse, b. Dec. 26, 1896.

(7) Belle Morse, b. April 17, 1899.

(6) Llewellyn Morse, b. Sept. 17, 1842; sailor, miner and farmer; resided on the old Morse homestead at Bunganuc, Brunswick, Me.; m. Addie Hall of Auburn, Me.

(6) Mary Louise Morse, b. Aug. 13, 1844; d. May 25, 1861.

(6) Thomas Emery Morse, b. June 1, 1846; blacksmith and farmer; resides Bunganuc, Me.; m. Ellen Wilson, b. Brunswick, Me.

(7) Susie Evelyn Morse, b. ———.

(6) Jeannette Helen Morse, b. Dec. 15, 1851; resides 44 S Street, Bath, Me.; m. (first), Jan. 18, 1877, Samuel Elliott, a sailor; m. (second), May 30, 1888, Charles Thompson of Bath, Me., b. ———.

(7) Willard Edgar Elliott, b. Oct. 22, 1877.

(7) Harry Ernest Thompson, b. April 10, 1889.

(5) Nancy Merryman, b. July 10, 1819; d. March 24, 1889; m., Dec. 24, 1838, James R. Barker, b. April 2, 1815; d. Feb. 14, 1897 (81y., 11m.); a carpenter at Brunswick, Me.

(6) Maria Ellen Barker, b. Oct. 18, 1838; d. Oct. 13, 1840.

(6) Henry M. Barker, b. Feb. 14, 1841; d. June 9, 1873; joiner; lived at Brunswick, Me., and Charlestown, Mass.; m. Fannie Gale.

(7) Henry Gale Barker, resides Gardiner, Me.

(7) George S. Gale Barker, resides Augusta, Me.

(7) Walter Barker, resides Bath, Me.

(6) Ellen Barker, b. Feb. 7, 1845; d. Aug. 28, 1846.

(6) Harriet C. Barker, b. Oct. 8, 1847; resides North Yarmouth, Me.; m., July 8, 1874, Rev. Jehiel S. Richards, a Congregational minister; graduated Bowdoin College, 1872; Bangor, Me., Theological Seminary, 1877; has preached at Dexter, Waterford, Deer Isle and other Maine towns.

(7) Roy C. Richards, b. July 6, 1876; d. Dec. 18, 1881.

(7) Annie G. Richards, b. Jan. 19, 1880.

(6) James R. Barker, b. April 20, 1851; d. Nov. 21, 1880; sailor; m. Miss Nickerson of Brunswick, Me.

(6) Wm. H. Barker, b. July 2, 1855; resides 256 Dover Street, Boston, Mass.; fire alarm department.

- (5) Nathaniel Merryman, b. April 25, 1821; d. Dec. 24, 1879.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. June 24, 1823; d. Feb. 9, 1847.
- (5) Capt. Alfred Hayden Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., July 18, 1825; d. Dec. 27, 1886; m., Nov. 7, 1859, Mary L. Forsaith, b. Brunswick, Me., Nov. 25, 1837; daughter of Rodney Forsaith and Eliza Curtiss. He worked on his father's farm until he was about 16 years old; then was apprenticed to learn the ship carpenter's trade and worked thus two years; then went to sea as a ship's carpenter; on his second trip he shipped before the mast as a sailor; in seven years he had his commission as captain, and for about 20 years commanded vessels, establishing as good and clean a record as that of any man afloat. After he retired from the sea he was a director of the First National Bank at Brunswick, Me., until his death. He was a great reader and active in all things which would help his native town.
- (6) William Curtis Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., March 23, 1861; resides, 1913 Amsterdam Avenue, New York City, N. Y.; graduated Bowdoin College, 1882; one year of special study at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston, Mass. In the spring of 1883 he began work in the engineering department of the St. Paul (Minn.) water works, where he was employed in city engineer's office, the first two years in the bridge department and the next year in the street and paving department, having charge of the construction department most of the time. In 1890 he commenced an independent practice as a civil engineer and continued until 1896, doing business in almost all branches of engineering in the Northwest; he also became well known in court circles, often being employed as an expert witness. In the summer of 1896 he was employed in locating the Yorktown & Norfolk Railroad, and in the fall accepted a position as assistant bridge builder engineer for the Great Northern Railroad. Since 1898 he has been a civil engineer in New York City, having charge of much building for the rapid transit road, underground, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co.; m., Jan. 3, 1888, Mary Manning Sylvester, b. Portland, Me., Oct. 13, 1863; graduated St. Catherine's Hall, Augusta, Me., 1883; daughter of Dr. Silas Edward Sylvester and Helen Marian Lamont of Brunswick, Me.

- (7) Alfred Palmer Merryman, b. St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 4, 1890; public schools of St. Paul and New York City; a boy of sterling qualities.
- (7) Helen Lamont Merryman, b. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 8, 1891; St. Paul and New York schools.
- (6) Belle Vernard Merryman, b. March 28, 1864; resides Brunswick, Me.; graduated Brunswick (Me.) high school, 1883; m., Aug. 13, 1890, Dr. Gilbert Molleson Elliott, b. Newhaven, N. Y., March 26, 1867; son of Richard Bullock Elliott and Letitia Hossett; Columbia College, New York, A. B., 1886; A. M., 1890; New York College of Physicians and Surgeons, 1889.
- (7) Mary Elliott, b. July 30, 1896.
- (7) Gilbert M. Elliott, Jr., b. Dec. 23, 1902.
- (5) Benjamin Merryman, b. June 7, 1829; d. April 27, 1830; son of the second marriage of Nathaniel Merryman.
- (5) Capt. Benjamin Sidney Merryman, b. Dec. 6, 1832; d., Fair Haven, Ct., June 29, 1895; m. ——— Coombs of Durham, Me.
- (5) Harvey M. Merryman, b. Feb. 16, 1835; resides Milwaukee, Wis.; proprietor of Norman Café, 628 Grand Avenue; m. Betsy Wilson.
- (6) Egbert Smith Merryman, b. April 30, 1861; agent of Canada and Atlantic steamship line; m., in Milwaukee, Wis., April 7, 1886, Barbara W. Davidson, b. ———.
- (7) Sidney Thomas Merryman, b. June 15, 1890.
- (7) Louisa Merryman, b. March 3, 1894.
- (6) Alice Merryman, b. Feb. 28, 1864; d. Sept. 18, 1864.
- (4) James Merryman, b. March 30, 1791; d. April 13, 1868 (77y.); he resided in Harpswell, Me., on what is known as the Wanton Merryman farm; m., May 9, 1815, Mary B. Merryman², b. Aug. 6, 1789; d. Aug. 26, 1859 (70y.); the third child of Michael Merryman² and Mary Bishop; granddaughter of Ancestor Walter Merryman¹ and Betsey Potter.
- (5) Belinda Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Sept. 10, 1816; d., Bowdoinham, Me., Oct. 28, 1871 (55y.); a devoted Christian and faithful wife; m., Aug. 6, 1839, James H. Chamberlain, b. Lebanon, Me., Oct. 20, 1805; d. April 7, 1874; he m. (first), Lydia Alexander of Bowdoin, Me.
- (5) Freeman M. Merryman, b. July 9, 1818; d. July 26, 1886; ship carpenter and carriage maker; m., Sept. 12, 1850, Sarah J. Norton, who d. June 11, 1876 (47y., 7m.); daughter of Elder Noah Norton of Litchfield, Me.

- (6) Elizabeth Merryman, b. 1852; d. May 1, 1890; m., Oct. 28, 1875, Frank A. Pennell, b. June 3, 1848; d. Oct. 13, 1897.
- (7) Marian Norton Pennell, b. Aug. 19, 1876.
- (6) Frederick S. Merryman, b. 1856; d. May 6, 1879, at Santa Clara, Cal.; single.
- (5) Abigail B. Merryman, b. May 29, 1820; d. Cape Elizabeth, Me., Aug. 11, 1884 (64y.); m. (first), Sept. 24, 1840, Capt. Wm. Stover of Harpswell, Me.; m. (second), Oct. 16, 1843, David Kincaid², b. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 2, 1817; d. Aug. 20, 1878; house builder and renter; moved to Cape Elizabeth, Me., 1851; son of David Kincaid² and Abigail Waldron; grandson of Ancestor Patrick Kincaid¹ and Mary Stanwood.

Children of first wife:

- (6) Belinda Merryman Stover, b. Brunswick, Me., Sept. 26, 1841; resides Gardiner, Me.; m., Dec. 7, 1865, Charles Dana York, b. Topsham, Me., July 7, 1836; painter; son of John York and Mary Holbrook; moved to Gardiner, Me., spring of 1869.
- (7) Ida Albertina York, b. Dec. 2, 1866; m., Sept. 21, 1898, Sylvester Campbell; resides Brunswick, Me.
- (8) Mary Belinda Campbell, b. Feb. 1, 1900.
- (7) David William Dennison York, b. Jan. 26, 1870; resides Arlington, Mass.
- (7) Belinda York, b. March 4, 1875; d. March 9, 1875.

Children of second wife:

- (6) Mary M. Kincaid, b. Aug. 4, 1844; resides 66 Manly Street, Auburn, Me.; m. Rev. Reuben D. Osgood of Bluehill, Me., who d. ———; a successful Congregational minister.
- (7) Harriet Osgood, b. March 7, 1872; resides Berwick, Me.; m., June 23, 1897, Dr. Herbert Lord, who d. Dec. 21, 1898.
- (7) David Earle Osgood, b. July 10, 1874; resides Freeport, Me.; m., July, 1898, Mary B. Ward of Freeport, Me.
- (7) Mabel E. Osgood, b. Aug. 25, 1876.
- (7) Abbie R. Osgood, b. Feb. 14, 1882.
- (7) Grace F. Osgood, b. Dec. 30, 1884.
- (6) William H. Kincaid, b. Sept. 1, 1846; resides South Portland, Me.; m. (first), March 12, 1866, Heprietta Sylvester; m. (second), Sept. 9, 1889, Nellie M. Paige of Cape Elizabeth, Me.

Children of first wife:

- (7) James H. Kincaid, b. Feb. 22, 1863.
- (7) Willie R. Kincaid, b. Feb. 16, 1872.
- (7) Jessie A. Kincaid, b. July 1, 1876.
- (6) Harriet Peterson Kincaid, b. Oct. 7, 1852; d. Nov. 26, 1902; resided South Portland, Me.; m., July 27, 1872, Capt. Andrew Wilson Smart, b. Swanville, Me., April 6, 1842; a successful captain; then United States engineer and inspector of river and harbor improvements; son of Reuben S. Smart and Almira Curtiss.
- (7) Fred Andrew Smart, b. May 22, 1875; Portland (Me.) High School, 1893; Brown University, 1898, A. B.; principal of Newcastle (Pa.) High School, 1899-1900; teacher of English at Tilton Seminary, Tilton, N. H., since 1900; m., Aug. 20, 1901, Carrie Louise Webster, b. Portland, Me., May 31, 1875; daughter of Alfred Webster and Etta Phenix.
- (8) Elizabeth Webster Smart, b. Dec. 9, 1902.
- (7) Ada Almira Smart, b. Falmouth, Eng., Oct. 17, 1878; d. Talcahuana, Chile, May 31, 1879.
- (7) Flores May Smart, b. off Flores Island, Azores, Sept. 16, 1879; d. March 14, 1880.
- (7) Flores Isabel Smart, b. July 4, 1881; a fine teacher at South Portland, Me.
- (7) Harold Kincaid Smart, b. Jan. 4, 1883; with Emery, Waterhouse & Co., Portland, Me.
- (7) Margaret Montgomery Smart, b. Dec. 7, 1887.
- (7) Marcia Elizabeth Smart, b. Sept. 11, 1891.
- (6) Dr. David Ashley Kincaid, b. May 11, 1855; resides South Portland, Me.; graduated Bowdoin Medical College; m., 1878, Margaret Eden Montgomery.
- (7) Isabel Montgomery Kincaid, b. Sept. 8, 1888.
- (7) Abbie Margaret Kincaid, b. Aug. 4, 1890.
- (6) Frank Kincaid, b. July 30, 1857; farmer at Emporia, Kan.
- (6) Annie Josie Kincaid, b. June 23, 1865; resides South Portland, Me.; m., 1890, Willis H. Cole, an insurance agent.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 27, 1826; d. Brookline, Mass., July 3, 1892; house carpenter and builder; every stroke of his work was done thoroughly and honestly. He was a truly honorable, quiet and peaceable man; he moved to Massachusetts in 1850; m. (first), Feb. 23, 1850, Harriet Knights Merryman⁵, b.

- Sept. 7, 1831; d. Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 15, 1873; daughter of Capt. Enos Merryman¹ and Hannah McManus of Brunswick, Me.; m. (second), Nov. 27, 1874, Maria Nott Crocker of Wareham, Mass., who d. April, 1891.
- (6) Thomas P. Merryman, b. Portland, Me., July 13, 1851; resides 134 Walnut Street, Brockton, Mass. He faithfully worked on his grandfather's farm at Brunswick, Me., some years; went to Boston in 1861; graduated at Pierce Grammar School, Brookline, Mass., June, 1867; worked for a wholesale wool firm in Boston; went to sea for awhile, and then worked at the carpenter's trade; for some years has worked for Stacy, Andrews & Co., Brockton, Mass., manufacturers of men's fine shoes, and is an order clerk of fine ability; m., in Boston, Mass., Sept. 13, 1879, Annie E. McClosky, b. Bradford, Mass., Jan. 31, 1859; a faithful member of the Episcopal church at Haverhill, Mass.; daughter of Patrick McClosky and Isabel Moore.
- (7) Fred Knights Merryman, b. ^{July} ~~July~~ 5, 1881; graduated Brockton (Mass.) High School, 1900; entered Boston School of Technology, Sept., 1900.
- (7) Hattie Belle Merryman, b. Jan. 8, 1883.
- (7) Fannie Bishop Merryman, b. April 11, 1885.
- (5) James Ira Merryman, b. May 12, 1831; farmer; moved to Scranton, Ia., Feb., 1879; m., Oct. 8, 1856, Mary Elizabeth Maxfield, b. Dec. 4, 1829; d. Scranton, Ia., May 25, 1892; daughter of Andrew Maxfield and Sarah Merryman⁴.
- (6) Annie Merryman, b. Oct. 11, 1860; d. June 7, 1891.
- (6) Frank A. Merryman, b. March 8, 1864; farmer at Scranton, Ia.
- (6) Grace Merryman, b. June 11, 1869; resides at Scranton, Ia.; m., 1890, Arthur Smith.
- (6) Bertha Merryman, b. Nov. 12, 1874; resides at Des Moines, Ia.
- (4) Mary Merryman, b. March 19, 1793; d. Jan. 21, 1827 (34y.); m. Capt. James Chase of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Sarah G. Chase, single.
- (5) Mary Chase, b. Sept. 1, 1824; d. Portland, Me., July 25, 1883; m., Oct. 18, 1848, Charles A. B. Morse, b. Haverhill, Mass., Sept. 15, 1820; d. Nov. 4, 1886; merchant; son of Daniel Morse and Mary Chase.
- (6) Maria Albertina Morse, b. Portland, Me., Sept. 23, 1849; d. March 24, 1853.

- (6) Frederick Augustus Morse, b. Portland, Me., July 12, 1852; d. Feb. 28, 1854.
- (6) Charles Frederick Morse, b. Portland, Me., July 8, 1854; accountant; m., June 22, 1881, Jennie Belle Sabin of Putney, Vt., b. Nov. 3, 1857, daughter of George Prentice Sabin and Harriet A. Shaw; resides 34 W Street, Portland, Me.
 - (7) Mary Harriet Morse, b. Portland, Me., May 1, 1882.
 - (7) Lillian Belle Morse, b. Portland, Me., Aug. 1, 1885.
- (6) James Herbert Morse, b. Portland, Me., Jan. 8, 1857; resides Syracuse, N. Y.; m., Nov. 15, 1882, Isabel Louisa Roberts of Portland, Me.
 - (7) Marianne Albertina Morse, b. Malden, Mass., July 26, 1890.
- (6) Maria Albertina Morse, b. July 22, 1859; m., May 7, 1884, Harry Lee Jones of Portland, Me.
 - (7) Chester M. Morse, b. Nov. 19, 1891.
- (6) May Ellen Beal Morse, b. March 18, 1866; d. Feb. 22, 1868.
- (4) Elizabeth Merryman, b. Sept. 6, 1796; d. July 22, 1839; m., as his first wife, Capt. Benjamin Woodside, b. Brunswick, Me., Nov. 29, 1797; d. Aug. 6, 1880; son of Vincent Woodside and Elizabeth Woodside; grandson of Vincent Woodside and Mary Lemont.
- (5) Thomas Barzillai Woodside, b. Feb. 29, 1829; d. Sept. 22, 1854.
- (5) Anna Woodside, b. Dec. 15, 1830; m., Sept. 28, 1854, George Washington Means.
 - (6) Cora Lizzie Means, b. March 19, 1858; m., Nov. 2, 1882, William Currier Russell, who d. June 19, 1884 (27y., 3m.).
 - (7) Alberta Russell, b. Sept. 30, 1883; d. June 7, 1893.
 - (6) George Barzillia Means, b. Feb. 27, 1861.
- (5) John Averill Woodside, b. Feb. 11, 1832; d. March 28, 1856.
- (5) May Elizabeth Woodside, b. Aug. 6, 1834; resides 16112 Cross Street, Medford, Mass.; m., Jan. 27, 1859, Henry Seth Joyce, who d. March 24, 1887 (58y., 5m.).
 - (6) Fred Averill Joyce, b. Oct. 31, 1859; m., Sept. 2, 1889, Cora Belle Ellington.
 - (7) Fred Ellington Joyce, b. July 28, 1890.
 - (7) Lester Monroe Joyce, b. Sept. 29, 1896.
 - (7) Herbert Warren Joyce, b. Feb. 27, 1899.
- (6) Will Henry Joyce, b. Jan. 19, 1862; m., Dec. 3, 1895, Hortense B. Thompson.

- (7) Judith Woodside Joyce, b. Sept. 14, 1896.
- (7) Son, b. Sept. 13, 1899.
- (6) Edwin Lincoln Joyce, b. July 15, 1867.
- (5) Benjamin F. Woodside, b. July 6, 1836; d. Dec., 1839.
- (4) Capt. Thomas Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 28, 1798; d., St. Albans, Me., Jan. 1, 1874; farmer; resided at St. Albans, Me., many years; m. (first), Feb. 28, 1826, Martha Melcher, b. Brunswick, Me., Sept. 5, 1800; d. St. Albans, Me., March 10, 1841; daughter of Abner Melcher and Mary Hunt of Brunswick, Me.; m. (second), June 22, 1842, Hannah Ann Rollins, b. St. Albans, Me., March 31, 1820; d. Hannaford, N. D., March 21, 1898; daughter of Luther Rollins and Sarah Jane Church.

Children of first wife:

- (5) Oliver Perry Merryman, b. July 21, 1827; resides Orono, Me.; schools of St. Albans and Dover, Me.; machinist; m., Jan. 4, 1857, Rebecca Swan Bennock, b. Orono, Me., July 16, 1836; daughter of John Bennock of Scotland and Marcia Eunice Atkinson.
- (6) George Perry Merryman, b. Bangor, Me., April 16, 1860; resides 306 W. 54th Street; New York City; millwright; installs elevators, etc.; builder of hydraulic and electric elevators; m., 1892, Alice Grace Morse, b. Forest Hills, Mass., April 2, 1863; daughter of Monroe M. Morse and Lucy Shaw Simes.
- (7) Charlotte Alice Merryman, b. Somerville, Mass., Jan. 12, 1893.
- (7) George Swan Merryman, b. Somerville, Mass., May 22, 1896.
- (6) Grace Swan Merryman, b. Bangor, Me., Sept. 6, 1864; bookkeeper; resides Orono, Me.
- (6) Arthur Morris Merryman, b. Bangor, Me., March 16, 1868; resides Concord, N. H.; copper cornice worker; m. Mary Blanche Blake, b. Framingham, Mass.
- (7) Carl Plummer Merryman, b. Jan. 18, 1893.
- (7) Roger Perry Merryman, b. May 19, 1895.
- (5) Nancy Angeline Merryman, b. St. Albans, Me., April 14, 1829; m., May 30, 1853, Hiram Church, b. Levant, Me., Dec. 20, 1811; d. Oct. 2, 1891; son of John Church and Hester Richards.
- (6) Flora Melcher Church, b. March 30, 1855; d. Bangor, Me., Aug. 28, 1886; m., June 11, 1884, Albert L. Atkins of Bangor, Me.
- (7) Gwendolin Flora Atkins, d. in infancy Aug. 25, 1886.

- (6) Harry Wilson Church, b. Levant, Me., May 13, 1857.
- (6) Charles Freemont Church, b. Levant, Me., Feb. 26, 1861; d. Levant, Me., Aug. 14, 1888; m., in Levant, Me., Oct. 8, 1887, Cora E. Turner of Glenburn, Me., who d. Jan. 11, 1890.
- (6) George Fred Church, b. Levant, Me., Oct. 16, 1864.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. Sept. 3, 1831; resides Northport, Me.; millman and mechanic. He lived many years in Bangor, Me., and all his children were born there; m., Feb. 10, 1857, Rebecca S. Hall, b. Brookville, Pa., April 13, 1841; daughter of Samuel Hall and Rebecca _____.
- (6) William Henry Merryman, b. July 10, 1859; went to Minnesota in 1879; dealer in hardware and lumber, Kerkhoven, Minn.; m., Feb. 26, 1883, Rachel Lien, b. Dec. 14, 1861.
- (7) Mabel Merryman, b. Feb. 15, 1883.
- (7) William Richard Merryman, b. July 10, 1886.
- (7) Ella Madora Merryman, b. Oct. 7, 1888; d. Oct. 31, 1888.
- (7) Cora Amelia Merryman, b. Nov. 3, 1891.
- (7) Ruth Lillian Merryman, b. Feb. 12, 1895.
- (7) Thomas Walter Merryman, b. Dec. 29, 1897; d. Dec. 21, 1898.
- (7) Gracie Rebecca Merryman, b. Dec. 19, 1899.
- (7) Wallice Merryman, b. July 21, 1903.
- (6) Charles Lincoln Merryman, b. Bangor, Me., June 17, 1865; graduated Bangor, Me., Grammar School, 1881; went to Minnesota, May, 1891; a fine photographer at Kerkhoven, Minn.; m., April 7, 1901, Hulda Ingeburg Lindquist, b. Ostia Emtervick Bönas, Sweden, Sept. 24, 1880.
- (7) Infant son, b. Jan. 4, 1902; d. Jan. 7, 1902.
- (7) Harold Clifton Merryman, b. June 27, 1903.
- (6) Medorah Merryman, b. Aug. 4, 1867; resides Northport, Me.; m., June 1, 1888, Walter Clifton Mahoney, b. Northport, Me., Aug. 10, 1860; no children.
- (6) Franklin Merryman, b. Feb. 18, 1872; d. July 21, 1875.
- (6) Walter Merryman, b. Sept. 5, 1876; d. Oct. 5, 1893.
- (5) Joseph Merryman, b. April 16, 1834; resides Levant, Me.; m., July 27, 1858, Abbie C. Frees, b. Lagrange, Me., Sept. 25, 1836; daughter of Allan B. Frees and Electa Nason.
- (6) Annie M. Merryman, b. Levant, Me., Oct. 16, 1862.

- (6) Emma E. Merryman, b. Feb. 21, 1865.
- (5) Alfred Merryman, b. May 3, 1836; resides Levant, Me.; m., 1864, Julia H. Bolton; no children.
- (5) May Ann Merryman, b. March 4, 1838; resides Levant, Me.

Children of second marriage of Capt. Thomas Merryman with Hannah Ann Rollins:

- (5) Infant son, b. and d. Jan. 24, 1844.
- (5) Eben Rollins Merryman, b. Feb. 2, 1847; d. Jan. 13, 1851.
- (5) Sarah Jane Merryman, b. June 29, 1849; d. Jan. 18, 1851.
- (5) Martha Melcher Merryman, b. April 13, 1852; resides St. Albans, Me.; fine help with records; m., Oct. 28, 1875, Alfred Whitney Peaks, b. Athens, Me., Oct. 3, 1843; son of Benjamin Higgins Peaks and Grace Atwood.
- (6) Benjamin Alfred Peaks, b. March 5, 1878.
- (6) Lois Rollins Peaks, b. April 5, 1879.
- (6) Thomas Merryman Peaks, b. Feb. 19, 1886.
- (6) John Edwin Peaks, b. Sept. 15, 1888.
- (5) Infant son, b. and d. Aug. 26, 1854.
- (5) Abner Merryman, b. Jan. 17, 1856; d. March 2, 1856.
- (5) Rose Etta Merryman, b. April 19, 1857; resides Melrose, Fla.; an excellent teacher; m., Sept. 16, 1877, Sidney B. Merryman⁶, b. Sept. 13, 1852; son of Albert Dunning Merryman⁵ and Jane Patten. (See p. 9.)
- (6) Vincent Leroy Merryman, b. June 24, 1878.
- (6) Wilbur Lyle Merryman, b. Feb. 13, 1880; d. May 27, 1880.
- (6) Anna Jeannette Merryman, b. Oct. 11, 1881.
- (6) Albert Sidney Merryman, b. June 17, 1884.
- (6) Rosa Mabel Merryman, b. July 31, 1885; d. Sept. 10, 1886.
- (6) Marion Thomas Merryman, b. June 1, 1888; d. Nov. 26, 1888.
- (5) Thirza Ellen Merryman, b. June 11, 1860; resides Harmony, Me.; m. (first), April 17, 1876, Howard W. Hurd, b. Aug., 1850; d. Aug. 5, 1882; farmer; son of Ira Hurd and Mary ———.
- (6) Harry Leroy Hurd, b. Harmony, Me., Sept. 15, 1877; m. (second), Feb. 4, 1884, Frank B. Foss, b. Shirley, Me., June 4, 1840; farmer; son of John Foss and Hannah ———.
- (6) Clara Bell Foss, b. July 28, 1885; graduated at Athens, Me., 1904.
- (6) Maud Emma Foss, b. June 21, 1889.
- (6) Altra Lulu Foss, b. May 27, 1895.

- (5) Lucy Belle Merryman, b. St. Albans, Me., Jan. 3, 1865; resides Hannaford, N. D.; m., Nov. 25, 1896, Archibald Macallum Sinclair, b. Blanchard, Ontario; farmer, dealer in furniture and machinery and banker; son of Moses Sinclair and Sarah Macallum.
- (6) Douglas Graeme Sinclair, b. Feb. 7, 1898.
- (6) Gerald Archibald Sinclair, b. May 4, 1901.
- (6) Ardella Errol Sinclair, b. May 1, 1903.
- (4) David Merryman, b. July 28, 1800; d., Bangor, Me., Aug. 3, 1848; a builder of mills; m., Aug. 23, 1830, Margaret Gilmore, b. Dec. 20, 1798; d. Sept. 14, 1852; daughter of John Gilmore and Margaret ——— of Bangor, Me.
- (5) Matilda Merryman, b. Aug. 28, 1831; d. Sept. 5, 1896; m., Sept. 9, 1836, Lorenzo D. Perry, b. Aug. 3, 1816; d. March 27, 1874; grocer; resided Roxbury, Lowell and Malden, Mass., and at Bedford, N. H.; son of Ebenezer Perry and Bridget ———.
- (6) Edwin L. Perry, b. May 28, 1858; d. Dec. 19, 1895; printer; m., Sept. 9, 1886, Hattie S. Plummer of Lowell, Mass.
- (7) Louise Perry, b. Jan. 30, 1890.
- (6) Frances L. Perry, b. March 12, 1860; resides Bedford, N. H.; m., June 30, 1897, George L. Shepherd of Bedford, N. H.
- (6) Alfred B. Perry, b. Aug. 15, 1862; d. Aug. 29, 1889; m., Oct. 15, 1888, Hallie E. Robbins of Lowell, Mass.
- (6) Charlotte S. Perry, b. June 14, 1864; d. Aug. 27, 1881.
- (5) Margaret Merryman, b. Oct. 8, 1833; d. Aug. 13, 1848.
- (5) Capt. John Merryman, b. March 6, 1836; d. of fever on the coast of China, June 2, 1886 (50y.); single; a fine captain.
- (5) Capt. David Merryman, b. July 25, 1839; d. March 25, 1892; a very successful captain until 1878; then became a dentist; lived at Brewer, Me., in the last years of his life; m., Sept. 11, 1866, Charlotte Chambers of South Brewer, Me., daughter of John Chambers and Elizabeth ———.
- (6) Augusta B. Merryman, b. Dec. 13, 1873; resides Boothbay Harbor, Me.; m., May 23, 1895, Freeman P. Littlefield of Brewer, Me., son of John Littlefield and Julia ———; no children.
- (6) John Chambers Merryman, b. April 18, 1879; d. May 23, 1895.
- (5) Capt. James G. Merryman, b. Sept. 18, 1841; resided Searsport, Me.; m., Nov. 11, 1873, Nancy Pendleton Gil-

- more, b. Searsport, Me., April 11, 1846; daughter of John Gilmore and Susan ———.
- (6) James Locke Merryman, b. Jan. 21, 1877; d. June 9, 1881.
- (6) Susan Anginette Merryman, b. Dec. 12, 1879; d. Dec. 14, 1883.
- (6) Margaret Merryman, b. July 1, 1884.
- (6) Elizabeth Merryman, b. July 1, 1884; d. July 29, 1884.
- (6) Edith Gilmore Merryman, b. June 14, 1887; d. April 29, 1898.
- (4) Daniel Merryman, b. May 28, 1802; d. Dec. 2, 1844 (41y., 7m.); single; resided in Freeport, Me.
- (4) Sarah Merryman, b. May 21, 1804; d. April 9, 1833; m., Feb. 18, 1827, Andrew Maxfield, b. Westbrook, Me., June 24, 1801; d. Nov. 3, 1880; a mason; resided in Bangor, Me.; son of Daniel Maxfield and Sarah Bailey.
- (5) Lydia Jane Maxfield, b. Dec. 15, 1827; resides 171 Shirley Street, Revere, Mass.; m., Aug. 20, 1846, Nahum F. Norris, b. Sedgwick, Me., Dec. 16, 1823; d. Cambridgeport, Mass., Oct. 9, 1899. He was a piano finisher; resided Bangor, Me., and New York City.
- (6) Andrew Maxfield Norris, b. March 15, 1864; resides Revere, Mass.; commercial traveler; m., Sept. 2, 1889, Annie Jane Close, b. Somerville, Mass., July 20, 1863; daughter of John Close and Jenny Trow.
- (7) Harold Ernest Norris, b. Cambridgeport, Mass., June 5, 1897.
- (5) Mary Elizabeth Maxfield, b. Dec. 4, 1829; d. Scranton, Ia., May 23, 1892; m. James Ira Merryman. (See full records, p. 23.)
- (5) Thirza Merryman Maxfield, b. April 30, 1831; resides Bangor, Me.
- (4) Deacon Ira Merryman, b. May 8, 1806; d. July 27, 1880 (74y.); a stone mason; at first a deacon in the Baptist Church; then united with the Episcopal Church; m. (first), March 3, 1833, Mary Ann Morse of Freeport, Me., who d. Sept. 6, 1856 (47y.); daughter of Ephraim Morse and Sarah ———; m. (second), Jan. 28, 1858, Charlotte Wadsworth Soule, b. Augusta, Me., April 9, 1827.

Children of the first marriage:

- (5) Francis Ira Merryman, b. Jan. 31, 1837; seaman and farmer; resides at Bowdoin, Me.; m. (first), April 16, 1863, Emma L. Rogers, b. June 9, 1845; d. Nov. 27, 1882; daughter of Wiley Rogers of Phippsburg, Me.;

- m. (second), March 29, 1894, Emily V. Reed, b. Woolwich, Me., May 16, 1850.
- (6) Annie L. Merryman, b. June 21, 1869; d. July 15, 1869.
- (6) Marshall C. Merryman, b. Sept. 18, 1872; resides Bowdoin, Me.; farmer.
- (6) Frankie E. Merryman, b. Jan. 14, 1875; mechanic; resides Bath, Me.; m. Eunice Howland of Topsham, Me., who d. Aug., 1898.
- (7) Herbert Merryman, b. 1895.
- (5) Sarah Elizabeth Merryman, b. March 14, 1839; d. Sept. 14, 1894; m., June 16, 1867, Capt. James Minot of Brunswick, Me.
- (6) Georgie Minott, b. March 1, 1868; d. San Rafael, Cal., 1884.
- (6) Helen Minott, b. ———; d., 1880, at San Rafael, Cal.
- (5) Charles Thomas Merryman, b. June 7, 1844; a boatman; resides New York City; m. in New York.
- Children of the second marriage with Charlotte W. Soule:
- (5) Herbert Soule Merryman, b. Feb. 20, 1860; a grocer at Brunswick, Me.; m., Dec. 20, 1898, Gertrude Brown.
- (6) Florence Brown Merryman, b. Oct. 3, 1899; d. March 22, 1900.
- (4) Salome Merryman, b. June 17, 1808; d. April 27, 1889; m. William R. Field, b. Dec. 12, 1799; d. Dec. 23, 1859; son of John Field of Lewiston, Me., and Betsy Ross of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Salome Field, b. Dec. 24, 1827; d. Nov. 13, 1904 (77y., 10m.); long resided at Federal Street, Brunswick, Me.; one of the most enthusiastic helpers in this history. She was a leading member of the Saturday Club and one of the most prominent workers in the First Parish Congregational Church. She was one of Brunswick's most respected women; a thorough Christian and beloved by all who knew her.
- (5) Thirza Field, b. Dec. 23, 1830; resides Southbridge, Mass.; m., Sept. 12, 1859, Rev. Edwin Beaman, b. Belfast, Me., Sept. 25, 1883; a good Congregational minister.
- (6) Edwin Field Beaman, b. Newcastle, Me., July 23, 1861; resides Winchester, Mass.; m., Nov. 3, 1887, Louise M. Hardy of Groveland, Mass.
- (7) Carrie Frances Beaman, b. June 19, 1889.
- (6) Susie Hereford Beaman, b. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 2, 1863; d. at Brunswick July 28, 1866.

- (6) William Rich Beaman, b. Brunswick, Me., Jan. 23, 1866; d., Chicopee, Mass., Nov. 7, 1871.
- (6) Eva Moore Beaman, b. Southbridge, Mass., Dec. 31, 1868.
- (6) Francis Kinsy Beaman, b. Chicopee, Mass., June 27, 1872.
- (5) William R. Field, b. Feb. 3, 1832; d. Sept. 11, 1896; tradesman; m., April 5, 1860, Sarah Ann Nudd, b. at Waterville, Me., May 22, 1834; daughter of Martin Nudd and Martha Higgins of Standish, Me.
- (6) Alice Palmer Field, b. Brunswick, Me., June 25, 1861; m., April 25, 1883, Watson Blaisdell Drew, b. Pittsfield, Me., Jan. 28, 1855; car accountant for Maine Central Railroad at Portland, Me.; son of Eri Drew of Waterville, Me.
- (7) Elmer Field Drew, b. Pittsfield, Me., Oct. 21, 1885.
- (6) Frank Lincoln Field, b. Oct. 31, 1864; resides Brunswick, Me.
- (4) Matilda Merryman, b. Nov. 9, 1810; d. Feb., 1888; m. Capt. Charles Ward.
- (5) Almira Rilda Ward, b. Freeport, Me., May 17, 1853; m., July 4, 1871, at Farmingdale, Me., Rev. David Le Roy Libby, b. Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 11, 1849; d. May 22, 1898; resides 146 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- (6) Marian Rosamond Libby, b. Howard, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1872.
- (6) Victor Horace Libby, b. Howard, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1876.
- (6) Leon Ward Libby, b. New Britain, Conn., June 22, 1887.
- (4) Thirza Jane Merryman, b. June 26, 1813; d. June 15, 1823 (10y.).

CHAPTER III.

Records of the third child of Thomas Merryman and Sarah Bailey:

- (3) Walter Merryman, b. March 8, 1766; d. Aug. 15, 1855 (88y., 5m.); m., Jan. 7, 1796, Isabel Alexander, b. Harpswell, Me, Oct. 10, 1774; d. Nov. 11, 1829.
- (4) David Merryman, b. Oct. 7, 1796; d. June 28, 1862; m. Louisa Guabert of Richmond, Me.
- Children (5): David; Albert; Isaac; Mary; John; Francis; Sarah; Henrietta.
- (4) Walter Merryman, b. Aug. 28, 1798; d. Richmond, Me.; m., Aug. 22, 1822, Elizabeth Stanwood.

- (5) Isabel Alexander Merryman, m. Adoniram Potter.
- (6) Ann Potter, m. Asa Goldthwaite of Wakefield, Mass.
- (5) Nancy Merryman, b. Aug. 12, 1825; m., in Providence, R. I., Nov. 1, 1848, John Groves, b. Middlebury, Vt., March 24, 1822; d. July 12, 1887.
- (6) Charles S. Groves, b. Roxbury, Mass., June 9, 1832; m., Sept. 1, 1880, Nelly F. Morey, b. Fall River, Mass., Oct. 21, 1854; d. Jan. 5, 1889; no children.
- (6) J. Frank Groves, b. Taunton, Mass., Jan. 31, 1858; single; resides 96 Arch Street, Waltham, Mass.
- (5) Caroline P. Merryman; resides 972 North Main Street, Brockton, Mass; m. Thomas P. Lucas of Quincy, Mass.
- (6) Thomas M. Lucas, Milford Street, Boston.
- (6) Walter S. Lucas.
- (5) Shubal Merryman; resides in California; single.
- (5) Julia A. Merryman, b. Nov. 20, 1833; resides Taunton, Mass., care of E. N. Lane, 7 Trescott Street; m., Nov. 20, 1856, Henry Fisher of Rutland, Vt., who d. in Wisconsin; son of Isaac Fisher and Angeline F. ———.
- (6) Arvilla J. Fisher, d. Galena, Ill. (1y., 11m., 9d.)
- (6) George W. Fisher, d. ——— (5m., 15d.).
- (4) Capt. Isaac Merryman, b. July 15, 1801; d., Richmond, Me., July 4, 1880; m., Jan. 19, 1830, Rebecca Curtiss, b. Harpswell, Me., Jan. 2, 1801; d. July 20, 1886; daughter of Nehemiah Curtiss and Jane Alexander. He lived in 1829 on a farm in Richmond, Me., near his brothers, David and Walter.
- (5) Nehemiah Curtiss Merryman, b. Richmond, Me., Oct. 30, 1831; went to California in 1850; m. there and raised a family.
- (5) Lettice Ann Skolfield Merryman, b. April 4, 1834; d. Aug. 21, 1880; m., Oct. 1, 1854, David Woodman Toothaker of Richmond, Me., b. Oct. 1, 1830. Children's Records, Note 2.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. Oct. 16, 1836; resides Richmond, Me.; m., Aug. 18, 1862, Carrie Armes of Lewiston, Me., who d. July 8, 1875.
- (6) Daughter, m. Robert Stewart and lives on a farm near her father.
- (6) Ulie Merryman, d. Aug. 6, 1875.
- (5) George Washington Merryman, b. July 23, 1837; resides Richmond, Me.; m., in Boston, Mass., Sept. 8, 1864, Emily V. Hutchins, b. Bangor, Me., Sept. 15, 1844.
- (6) Abbie E. Merryman, m. Horton Chase; resides in Auburn, Me.

- (6) Mary A. Merryman, resides in Somersworth, N. H.; single.
- (6) Hattie A. Merryman, m. William Rideout; resides in Bowdoinham Village, Me.
- (5) Rebecca J. Merryman, b. Dec. 9, 1841; keeps house for her brother, Thomas Merryman, in Richmond, Me.; m., July, 1879, John A. Berry of Gardiner, Me.
- (5) Mary Merryman, b. April 11, 1845; d. June 28, 1898; single.
- (4) Robert Merryman, b. Sept. 15, 1803; d. in Bowdoinham, Me., 1869 (66y.); m., Feb. 28, 1828, Clarissa Douglass, who d. at Bowdoinham, Me.; daughter of David Douglass; lived in Bowdoin, Richmond and Bowdoinham, Me.
- (5) Isabella Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 14, 1830; d. Dec., 1893; single.
- (5) David Douglass Merryman, b. Nov. 27, 1832; resides Readfield, Me.; in clothing business at Tamworth, N. H.; in mercantile business at Readfield, Me., since 1872; m., Nov. 26, 1859, Emeline Perkins, b. Tamworth, N. H.; daughter of Jonathan Perkins and Mehitabel ———.
- (6) Edward Albert Merryman, b. Richmond, Me., Dec. 9, 1861; editor of Madison, Me., *Bulletin*; m., Jan. 10, 1883, Lucy E. Leadbeater, b. East Livermore, Me.
- (7) Gladys Fay Merryman, b. June 7, 1884.
- (7) Albert David Merryman, b. June 13, 1886.
- (7) Ina Merryman, b. Sept. 26, 1889.
- (6) Eli Merryman, b. Tamworth, N. H., Oct. 11, 1863; resides Portland, Me.; in business at Readfield, Me., some years; then in Waterville, Me.; now railroad postal clerk; graduated Westbrook, Me., Seminary, 1883; m., June 6, 1885, Celia J. Haines, b. Readfield, Me., Aug. 2, 1862; daughter of Dudley W. Haines and Clarissa W. Hankinson.
- (7) Merle Eli Merryman, b. July 8, 1887.
- (7) Clarise Emma Merryman, b. Oct. 26, 1890.
- (5) Eli Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., July 14, 1834; d. Litchfield, Me., Oct. 24, 1898; lived two years at Tamworth, N. H.; then went to Litchfield, Me.; served one year in the Civil War; in mercantile business at Litchfield, Me., 32 years; postmaster 25 continuous years; served on school board; m., Oct. 18, 1862, Almeda M. Gilman, b. West Gardiner, Me., July 6, 1834; d. 1902; daughter of David Gilman and Abigail ———.

- (6) Lola Merriman, b. June 22, 1864; teacher at Litchfield, Me.
- (6) James David Merriman, b. July 11, 1867; Merriman & Roberts, attorneys and counsellors, 141 Broadway, New York City; graduated from Maine Wesleyan Seminary, Kent's Hill, 1899; graduated from Bowdoin College and Columbia Law School.
- (6) Clara Douglass Merriman, b. March 18, 1869; teacher at Tilton Seminary, Tilton, N. H.
- (6) Abbie Lord Merriman, b. Jan. 4, 1874; teacher at Leavitt Institute, Turner Center, Me.
- (5) Sarah J. Merriman, b. Bowdoin, Me., March 27, 1836; d. Readfield, Me., Dec., 1876 (Jan., 1877); cloak and dressmaker at Richmond, Me.
- (5) Frances Merriman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Feb. 9, 1839; m., 1867, Charles Dunn of Portland, Me.
- (6) Son at Cornish, Me.
- (5) Susan A. Merriman, b. Bowdoin, Me., July 14, 1841; d. Nov. 13, 1893; resided Richmond, Me.; m., Jan. 28, 1865, Henry Martin Gardiner of Richmond, Me.; in harness business; removed to Thomaston, Me., and became superintendent of state prison harness department.
- (6) George Henry Gardiner, b. Richmond, Me., July 27, 1871; d. Aug. 27, 1871.
- (6) Nellie A. Gardiner, b. Richmond, Me., June 8, 1873.
- (6) Clara Merriman Gardiner, b. Richmond, Me., Sept. 18, 1874; d. Thomaston, Me., Nov. 1, 1887.
- (6) Elvira E. Gardiner, b. Richmond, Me., Sept. 1, 1881.
- (4) Shubal Merriman, b. March 14, 1806; d. June 14, 1898 (92y., 3m.); always resided at Harpswell Center, Me.; m., Jan. 19, 1834, May Jane Curtiss, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 4, 1809; d. Aug. 7, 1894 (84y., 8m., 29d.); daughter of Nehemiah Curtiss and Jane Alexander.
- (5) Walter Merriman, b. March 15, 1835; d. May 29, 1890; m. Lavina Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 1, 1835; daughter of Hudson Merriman and Asenath Merryman.
- (6) Dr. Alfred Mitchell Merriman, b. May 1, 1868; graduated from Bowdoin College, 1892; Bowdoin Medical School, 1895; m., at Providence, R. I., Jan. 4, 1899, Frances Raymond Perry, b. Newport, R. I., Aug. 25, 1869; daughter of Maj. Raymond H. Perry and Frances Louisa Blake.
- (7) Frances Lavinia Merriman, b. Bristol, R. I., Sept. 26, 1905.

- (6) S. Lorenzo Merriman, b. Dec. 2, 1869; principal of Island Falls, Me., High School; principal of Patten, Me., High School.
- (5) Shubal Merriman, Jr., b. Jan. 15, 1837; d. June 28, 1865.
- (5) Capt. Angier H. Merriman, b. Feb. 5, 1839; resides Topsham, Me.; followed the sea many years; m. (first), Jan. 2, 1865, Octavia Crawford, b. Nov. 5, 1843; d. June 15, 1869; daughter of Rev. Thomas Crawford and Thankful Johnson; m. (second), Oct. 21, 1875, Hannah P. Knight, b. Topsham, Me.

Children by first wife:

- (6) Mary J. Merriman, b. Jan. 14, 1866.
- (6) T. Olin Merriman, b. May 3, 1869 (70y.). M.

Children by second wife:

- (6) Florence K. Merriman, b. Dec. 23, 1877.
- (6) Angier Clarence Merriman, b. May 9, 1881; in Philadelphia, Pa., Dental College.
- (5) Adeline Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1842; single.
- (5) Elizabeth Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1842; d. Oct. 17, 1842.
- (5) Harriet Jane Merriman, b. May 24, 1844; resides Bath, Me.; m. (first), Dec. 29, 1872, Capt. Parker Cleveland Curtiss, who was washed overboard, Jan. 6, 1884, from ship *St. Charles*, on the third day out from Philadelphia; m. (second), Oct. 22, 1885, Henry Leonard of Bath, Me.; b. Warren, Me., Jan. 25, 1828; d. Sept. 17, 1901; master shipbuilder.

Children of first husband:

- (6) Shubal Merriman Curtiss, b. July 6, 1876; d. Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 10, 1877.
- (6) Mary Lee Curtiss, b. Sept. 22, 1879; m., Oct. 16, 1900, John Abel Lord, U. S. N.; carpenter.
- (7) John A. Lord, Jr., b. April 8, 1901.
- (7) Frances Lee Lord, b. Sept. 10, 1902.

Child of second husband:

- (6) Sadie Maria Leonard, b. Feb. 14, 1887.
- (5) Hiram S. Merriman, b. May 26, 1847; resides South Framingham, Mass.; m., April 5, 1880, Anna R. Pennell, b. Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Joseph C. Merriman, b. July 16, 1849; d. April 14, 1850.
- (5) John B. Merriman, b. Dec. 11, 1850; d. at sea, Nov. 20, 1870.
- (5) Augustus Merriman, b. June 18, 1854; deacon in Congregational Church, Harpswell Center, Me.; m., Jan. 16, 1891, Cornelia Rebecca Tilton, b. Brunswick, Me.

- (6) Lawrence Tilton Merriman, b. Aug. 1, 1893.
- (6) Shubal Henry Merriman, b. Aug. 25, 1895.
- (4) Eli Merriman, b. July 27, 1808; d. San Francisco, Cal., Nov., 1851; m., 1848, Eliza B. Wilson, b. Bowdoin, Me. She m. (second), Capt. Ewings Alexander.
- (5) Charles Augustus Merriman, b. March 21, 1849; lost at sea, 1865, when about 21 years old.
- (5) Flora Merriman, b. April 25, 1852; resides Chicago, Ill.; m. (first), Jan. 10, 1874, Dr. Joseph Spaulding; m. (second), Levi Varney.
- (6) Son.
- (4) Anna Merriman, b. Nov. 11, 1810; d. Jan. 2, 1851; m., April 3, 1831, Elisha Allen, Jr., b. Harpswell, Me., April 12, 1800; son of Elisha Allen and Bethiah Johnson. (Full records in Johnson genealogy.)
- (4) Capt. Thomas Merriman, b. Aug. 7, 1813; lost at sea Jan. 2, 1856, on the bark *Ben Adams*, 15 hours' out of Boston, bound for New Orleans, La.; m., Aug. 10, 1841, Mary Ann Curtiss⁷ of Bowdoinham, Me., b. Oct. 2, 1817; d. May 29, 1895; daughter of David Curtiss⁶ and Abigail Wheeler.
- (5) Abbie Curtis Merriman, b. May 3, 1842.
- (5) Thomas William C. Merriman, b. July 2, 1846; m., Oct. 24, 1892, Delia Blair of Bowdoinham, Me., b. ———; no children.
- (5) Rufus C. Merriman, b. Sept. 10, 1853; single.
- (4) Betsy Barnes Merriman, b. Nov. 3, 1817; d. Pownal, Me., Jan. 11, 1895; m., April 28, 1840, Capt. Thomas Alexander, b. Aug. 23, 1813; d. of yellow fever, New Orleans, La., Aug. 3, 1858; buried Grousetown, Brunswick, Me., Cemetery. The old farm is now Riverside Cemetery.
- (5) Thomas Martin Alexander, b. Feb. 23, 1844.
- (5) Eli Merriman Alexander, b. May 30, 1847. When he was 12 years old went to sea with his father in ship *Scioto*, from Portland, Me., to Liverpool, Eng.; then around Cape Horn to Chincha Islands. The ship went to New Orleans, where father d. of yellow fever; gone two and one-half years; then home and attended Brunswick High School; then sailed from Portland in the West India trade; gave it up to take care of his mother and bought a farm at Pownal, Me. In 1880 went into the brick-making business at Harpswell with Norton H. Stover. Theirs was the first brickyard in Harpswell; loaded the bricks into vessels and shipped to Boston and other ports; this discontinued when

brick became scarce. In 1888 second keeper of Half-Way Rock Lighthouse; there in the great November storm of that year; then contractor and builder; now mail carrier to Brunswick, 32 miles, which he makes through all sorts of weather, R. F. D. No. 2. He is interested in every movement which aims to benefit Harpswell, Me.; active in social life, being particularly interested in the cause of temperance; has held office of Grand Worthy Patriarch of Sons of Temperance of State of Maine; in 1884 one of the organizers of Casco Bay Colony, U. O. P. F., and for several years secretary of that order; m. Arcelia Bibber, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 22, 1849; daughter of Capt. David Bibber and Amy Bibber.

- (6) Amy Bibber Alexander, b. Nov. 15, 1879; d. Aug. 15, 1881.
- (6) Gracie Flora Alexander, b. March 21, 1881; m., Oct. 6, 1899, George U. Allen, b. ———; son of George Allen.
- (6) Albert Harlow Alexander, b. April 11, 1886; enterprising mail driver.
- (5) Thomas M. Alexander, b. Brunswick, Me., May 18, 1849; d. Nov. 1, 1849 (6m.).
- (5) Betsy Ann Alexander, b. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 19, 1850; resides New Gloucester, Me.; m. (first), Dec. 1, 1874, John Brackett, b. New Gloucester, Me., Jan. 30, 1848; d. July 9, 1879; carriage maker; son of George Brackett and Mary Tafts; m. (second), May 13, 1883, Charles Schillinger, b. Poland, Me., Aug. 30, 1828; d. June 10, 1904; farmer; son of Jeremiah Schillinger and May Garland.

Children of first husband:

- (6) Bessie May Brackett, b. Aug. 31, 1875; m., Nov. 9, 1898, Clark Merrill, b. New Gloucester, Me., Nov. 28, 1869; son of Amos Merrill and Lucy J. Brown.
- (7) Edna Alexander Merrill, b. Oct. 26, 1899.
- (6) Veazie Litchfield Brackett, b. Aug. 22, 1877; resides Portland, Me.; m., Aug. 10, 1904, Violet Green Phinney.

Children of second husband:

- (6) Charles Ernest Schillinger, b. Dec. 8, 1886.
- (6) Helen Annie Schillinger, b. Jan. 14, 1890.
- (5) Thomas M. Alexander, b. Brunswick, Me., Jan. 25, 1854; d. March 19, 1856.

- (5) Catherine B. Alexander, b. Chinha Islands, Pacific Ocean, Aug. 9, 1857; resides West Durham, Me.; m., Dec. 10, 1876, Veazie B. Litchfield, b. Freeport, Me., Oct. 2, 1849; farmer; son of S. V. Litchfield and Frances Scott; children all born in Pownal, Me.
- (6) Thomas Alexander Litchfield, b. Oct. 5, 1877; d. Dec. 3, 1898.
- (6) Sammie V. Litchfield, b. Jan. 23, 1879; d. Feb. 6, 1895.
- (6) Josephine O. Litchfield, b. April 19, 1883.
- (6) Edith G. Litchfield, b. July 22, 1889.
- (6) Victor S. Litchfield, b. Dec. 12, 1892.
- (5) Josephine B. Alexander, b. March, 1845; d. May 14, 1879 (34y.); m., Nov. 27, 1867, Charles Frederick Owen, b. Brunswick, Me., July 17, 1838; farmer, Brunswick, Me.; son of Jeremiah Owen and Hannah Badger.
- (6) May B. Owen, b. Dec. 3 (7), 1868; resides Auburn, Me.; graduated Brunswick, Me., High School, 1888.
- (6) Annie M. Owen, b. May 7, 1870; graduated from Brunswick, Me., High School, June 15, 1888; resides Auburn, Me.
- (6) Minnie H. Owen, b. Jan. 21, 1873.
- (6) Mabel A. Owen, b. Nov., 1874; resides Durham, Me.; graduated from Brunswick, Me., High School, June 8, 1892; m., Dec. 27, 1897, Herbert J. Wagg, farmer.
- (7) Everts Jordan Wagg, b. Feb. 8, ———.
- (6) Hannah W. Owen, b. April 6, 1877; resides in Auburn, Me.; graduated from Auburn, Me., High School, June 14, 1895.
- (6) Frank Owen, b. May 6, 1879; resides in Auburn, Me.

CHAPTER IV.

Records of the fourth child of Thomas Merryman² and Sarah Bailey.

- (3) James Merryman, m., June 24, 1794, Mary Barnes. This family lived at Brunswick, Me.
- (4) Thomas Merryman, b. 1796; d. July 14, 1855 (59y.); m. Almira McManus³, b. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 1, 1807; d. Oct. 21, 1891 (84y.); daughter of Daniel McManus², b. 1766; d. June 1, 1851, who m. Betsy Tarr, daughter of Joseph Tarr and Deborah Toothaker. Almira McManus was the granddaughter of Ancestor James McManus¹,

who came from Ireland to Brunswick, Me., about 1750.
This ancestor's wife was Mary Corbett.

- (5) Mary E. Merryman, b. April 28, 1831; d. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 3, 1903; m. Zenas Preston of Louisiana; no children. She helped grandly with these records.
- (5) Marshall Merryman, b. Feb. 16, 1833; d. New Orleans, La., Aug. 10, 1853 (19y.).
- (5) Almira Merryman, b. June 9, 1834; d. June 7, 1899; m. Capt. Robert Lincoln Merryman², b. April 4, 1829; d. Alameda, Cal., Dec., 1903; a successful sea captain; son of Capt. Enos Merryman¹ and Hannah McManus.
- (6) Nellie Alexander Merryman, d. young.
- (6) George M. Merryman, b. April 1, 1861; engineer on a steamer; resides Alameda, Cal.; m. ——— Hatch; no children.
- (6) Capt. Robert Lincoln Merryman, Jr., b. Oct., 1864.
- (6) Elinor Merryman, b. Aug., 1876; resides Alameda, Cal.
- (5) Georgianna Merryman, b. June 26, 1835; d. Dec., 1853.
- (5) Louisa M. Merryman, b. Nov. 27, 1837; resides South Elliott Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.; m., Dec. 25, 1866, Dr. Le Grand Fuller, b. Ansable Forks, N. Y., Feb. 12, 1839; son of Dr. William St. Pierre Fuller and Mira L. ———.
- (6) Dr. Zenas Preston Fuller, b. July 4, 1868; a dentist at Brooklyn, N. Y.
- (5) Thomas Merryman, b. Sept. 16, 1839; d. Dec., 1853.
- (5) Sarah Merryman, b. Oct. 14, 1846; graduated at Brunswick (Me.) High School, 1863; resides 50 Tudd Street, Chelsea, Mass.; m., Dec. 25, 1865, Samuel L. Johnson; graduated Maine State Seminary, Lewiston, Me., 1858; cashier of Lynn & Boston Railroad; son of Asa Johnson and Abigail Rogers.
- (6) Zenas Preston Johnson, b. June 20, 1880; graduated Berkly School, Boston, Mass., 1895; employed by electric railroad, Waterbury, Ct.; m. Imma L. Clinton.
- (4) Betsy Merryman, b. 1799; d. 1829; single.
- (4) Jane Merryman, b. 1801; d. Feb. 21, 1885; m. Charles Stanwood, b. Aug. 21, 1800; d. 1829; clerk and farmer; son of William Stanwood and Hannah Thompson.
- (5) Hannah Elizabeth Stanwood.
- (5) Henry Stanwood.
- (4) William Barnes Merryman, b. March 11, 1805; d. Nov. 20, 1833; m., July 12, 1830; Hannah Lamb Stoddard, b. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 13, 1800; d. Feb. 18, 1852; daughter of Russell Stoddard and Betsy ———.

- (5) William James Russell Merryman, b. May 20, 1833; resides Danville, Me.; employed by Grand Trunk Railway; m., Aug. 3, 1861, Lydia Lovieia Berry, b. Jan. 27, 1838; d. March 22, 1898; daughter of John Berry and Sarah Ramsdell; no children.
- (4) Mary Merryman, b. Sept. 22, 1810; d. April 30, 1890; m. Lewis Simpson, 2d., b. Sept. 9, 1810; d. Jan. 19, 1887; ship carpenter.
- (5) Elizabeth H. Simpson, b. July 19, 1840; d. May 26, 1898; m., June 7, 1870, Horatio S. Webber, b. Bowdoinham, Me., 1857; d. Nov. 13, 1889; son of Richard Webber and Caroline Staples.
- (6) Mamie H. Webber, b. June 22, 1871; resides on the old Webber homestead, Bowdoinham, Me.; m., Sept. 20, 1891, Frank A. Heath, b. Whitefield, Me., March 13, 1872; son of Andrew Heath and Mary ———.
- (7) Fred D. Heath, b. Aug. 10, 1892.
- (7) Frank C. Heath, b. April 28, 1895; d. May 4, 1895.
- (7) Etta M. Heath, b. April 15, 1896; d. July 31, 1899.
- (5) Etta M. Simpson, b. June 26, 1850; resides 17 Franklin Street, Brunswick, Me.; m., May 21, 1889, Charles Greenleaf Burgess, b. Lisbon, Me., April 12, 1825; son of George Benjamin Burgess and Almira Sawyer; retired merchant.
- (4) Capt. Henry Merryman, died at sea; m. Catherine McManus of Brunswick, Me., who d. March 24, 1861 (56y., 7m.); daughter of John McManus and Lizzie ———.
- (5) John Henry Merryman, b. Jan. 19, 1831; d. Boston, Mass., Dec., 1873 (41y.); married; no children.
- (5) Charles Spencer Merryman, b. Oct. 11, 1832; d. Callao, Peru, Nov. 1, 1873 (44y.); m. Lydia Whitehouse Merryman, b. Oct. 4, 1843; d. Saco, Me., Sept., 1899; daughter of John Merryman and Ellen McManus; no children.
- (5) Mary Y. Merryman, b. March 1, 1835.
- (5) Catherine Merryman, b. May 25, 1839; m. Haley Alexander of Topsham, Me.; no children.
- (4) Spencer Merryman; d. abroad; single.
- (4) Capt. Richard Merryman, b. March 15, 1817; d. March 31, 1862 (49y.); m. Marcia Greenleaf, b. Feb. 25, 1822; she was last heard from at Fort Apache, Ariz.
- (5) Sophia Greenleaf Merryman, b. Dec. 14, 1842; d. June 11, 1868; m., in Liverpool, Eng., Nov. 2, 1864, Capt. Charles Johnson Bishop of North Harpswell, Me., b. Dec. 19, 1825; d. Jan., 1904.
- (6) John Charles Bishop, b. Sept. 21, 1865; d. April 13, 1867.

- (5) Marcia L. Merryman, b. Jan. 11, 1845; d. Sept. 5, 1845.
- (5) Richard G. Merryman, b. March 15, 1846; went to California.
- (5) Ella Merryman, b. March 13, 1852; d. San Francisco, Cal.; m. twice; two children of the first marriage.
- (5) Mary Merryman, b. April 19, 1858; d. Jan. 23, 1860.
- (5) Hattie Merryman, b. and d. Feb. 14, 1861.

CHAPTER V.

Records of the fifth child of Thomas Merryman² and Sarah Bailey.

- (3) Timothy Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., 1771; d. Sept. 2, 1846; resided at Rocky Hill, Brunswick, Me.; m. Martha Alexander, b. Oct. 4, 1774; d. 1844; daughter of Hugh Alexander and Catherine Ewing.
- (4) Bailey Merryman, b. 1798; d. Jan. 20, 1858. After his marriage he settled on a farm at Bowdoin, Me., and remained there; buried in old cemetery at South Bowdoin, Me.; m. Mary Wilson¹, b. Dec., 1807; d. Dec. 5, 1896, daughter of Actor Wilson³ and Affia Pennell; granddaughter of William Wilson² and Mary Patten; great-granddaughter of Ancestor Thomas Wilson¹.
- (5) Robert Wilson Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., May 2, 1829; d. April 21, 1894. "His parents were respectable and well-to-do farming people. He was reared to agricultural pursuits, and attended the common schools of Bowdoin, Me. But at an early age he laid aside his books and commenced the active duties of life. He and his brother, Andrew C., having taken up the ship building industry, he learned the trade and worked in the shipyards of Pittston, Me., in 1855. The eastern lumbermen were then being attracted to the pine forests of Wisconsin. He went to that state, first locating at Fond du Lac, where he became associated with his brother, A. C., and Haynes Hunter, under the firm name, Merryman & Co., lumber manufacturers. Later, also, at Fond du Lac, these Merryman brothers associated themselves with John S. and Alexander McDonald, also Maine lumbermen and pioneer manufacturers of Wisconsin. R. W. Merryman remained at Fond du Lac until 1873; then went to Marinette, Wis., and founded the R. W. Merryman Lumber Co., with which

he was connected, as its official head, until his death, April 21, 1894. For several years prior to his death, however, the management was for the most part entrusted to his nephew, R. C. Merryman, who has since continued its management. He entertained a paternal fondness for this nephew, many of the early years of whose life were passed in this uncle's house, where he was treated as a member of the family. Before his death he and his wife travelled considerably, often accompanied by friends in the capacity of guests. It was while he was returning from a trip through Florida that he was seized with a serious illness which terminated fatally at Lookout Mountain. He was a shrewd and thrifty man, greatly beloved by his friends and employees and widely esteemed for his unswerving integrity, strict honesty and admirable business methods. He substantially aided Marinette. He accumulated a comfortable competence, mainly of extensive investments in timber lands and profitable manufacturing operations. Religiously he was originally a Baptist, but, with his advancing years, his ideas trended to Universalism, in which faith he died. In political affiliations he was always a Republican, ever loyal to his party, but never at any time an office seeker." M., March 18, 1858. Carrie A. Colburn of Pittston, Me.; she was the daughter of Capt. Reuben Colburn; she is held in the highest esteem by all in Marinette, Wis.; no children.

- (5) Andrew Curtiss Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Dec. 22, 1831; d. of pneumonia at Exeter, Cal., 1905. He was one of the best known lumbermen of Wisconsin, and was a familiar person to most lumbermen in Northern Wisconsin, as well as in Chicago and Maine, having for the last 49 years been most actively engaged in the lumber manufacture in Wisconsin. The boyhood ambition of Mr. Merryman was of the most practical kind. He did not believe that the road to wealth and position could be travelled rapidly, but he determined to labor faithfully and diligently and rise above the conditions which surrounded him. When scarcely 17 years of age he began to work at shipbuilding at Middle Bay, Brunswick, Me., with Capt. Richard McManus, and soon became a competent shipwright. In 1855 he built the brig *A. C. Merryman* at Pittston, Me., and launched upon the business on his own account. When business

depressions came in Maine he sturdily determined to seek a new field of labor. In 1855 he went to Fond du Lac, Wis., and although he had no practical experience in that line, he at once made preparations for prosecuting the lumber business. With but little capital he went into the dense forests of pine, entering, preëmpting and homesteading lands and laying solid foundations for future operations. He at once entered into the sawmill business at Fond du Lac and most successfully carried it on for 10 years. In 1866 he sold these interests to his brother, R. W. Merryman, and removed to Marinette, Wis., as a member of the firm of Hamilton, Merryman & Co., which purchased 62,000 acres of government land and built a large mill in 1868. From time to time the firm has added to this original purchase of land. The company has become one of the largest and most successful of the immense lumber manufacturing establishments along the Menominee River. From 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 feet of lumber is annually turned from timber on the stump to finished lumber at the mill. This is carried by the company's boats to Chicago, where its larger distributing yard is located. Up to the last, Mr. Merryman took an active part in this work, as well as in all the various strong enterprises in which he was helpful. He was interested in many paper and pulp mills and owned thousands of acres of standing timber in the red cedar country of the West. He was also an extensive orange grower and had large ranches at Exeter, Cal., where, in late years, he spent most of his winters.

Mr. Merryman was at all times prominent in Marinette affairs and has been closely identified with Marinette industries and municipal work since his residence in the city. He has been prominently identified with the Menominee & Marinette Paper Co., the A. W. Stevens Co., the Menominee River Fire Tug Co., the Merryman Manufacturing Co., the Menominee River Broom Co., the Marinette Flour Mill Co., the Watson Heating Co., the Menominee & Marinette Light and Traction Co., the Menominee Sugar Co. and the Oakwood Club. He attended personally to the details of most of his business. Unless it was absolutely impossible for him to be present, he was never known to miss a meeting of one of the companies in which he was a stockholder. Nevertheless, with all these busi-

ness cares, he never forgot his family or friends. He was a model husband and father and neglected no slightest thing which would add to the comfort and pleasure of his family. With his friends he was known, as in his business, as a man of his word, and the expression, "His word is as good as his bond," has often been used in speaking of him. He was very fond of entertainment and loved to have his home full of happy friends.

Mr. Merryman was a great lover of nature and out-of-door life. There was nothing too small in woods or field to be beneath his notice, and on his hunting trips and excursions he would spend a large share of his time in looking up curios and relics. Every year he would take a party of his friends to Beechwood, his private hunting and fishing grounds, near Florence, on the Northwestern branch road, and would entertain them in royal style. Mr. Merryman was a thoroughly moral man and his friends who accompanied him on his camping and hunting trips, where all restraint was laid aside, often remarked of his cleanliness and manliness in all things. The men who rowed his boats while he was fishing were as carefully looked after as his guests and were never overworked or ill-treated. His charitable work and sympathy for those in suffering and need is known to all. He never used liquor or tobacco and was strongly affiliated with the Prohibition party and was nominated by that party for its high positions of trust and honor. M. (first), Oct. 30, 1862, Fannie Colburn, who d. Aug. 23, 1866; daughter of Capt. Reuben Colburn of Pittston, Me.; m. (second), June 11, 1870, Louise F. Brown of Fort Ann, N. Y., daughter of William D. Brown and Lydia ———.

Children of first wife:

- (6) Reuben Colburn Merryman, b. Oct. 8, 1863; a lumber manufacturer at Marinette, Wis.; m. (first), June 10, 1883, Phoebe Woodhull of Saginaw, Mich.; m. (second), Aug. 9, 1891, Agnes Hatheway of Green Bay, Mich.; no children.
- (6) George C. Merryman, d. in infancy.

Children of second wife:

- (6) Bertha Merryman, b. April 9, 1873.
- (6) Amy Merryman, b. June 29, 1876.

- (6) Andrew C. Merryman, Jr., b. Jan. 7, 1879.
- (6) Louise F. Merryman, b. Nov. 21, 1881.
- (5) Emeline Wilson Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Jan. 23, 1837; resides Bowdoinham, Me.; m., Nov. 23, 1857, Capt. Bowdoin Pratt, b. Bowdoinham, Me., July 20, 1828; a fine sea captain, then a merchant at Bowdoinham Village, Me.; son of John Pratt and Rebecca ———.
- (6) Bailey H. Pratt, b. April 21, 1860; d. May, 1873.
- (6) George D. Pratt, b. Aug. 14, 1867; m. (first), Nov. 17, 1887, Georgia A. Small, who d. April 8, 1894; m. (second), Nov. 20, 1895, G. Emma Hinkley.

Child of first wife:

- (7) Louise M. Pratt, b. June 24, 1888.

Child of second wife:

- (7) Howard Everett Pratt, b. Sept. 24, 1896.
- (5) Hannah Merryman, b. May 22, 1842; m., Jan. 11, 1870, Louis Gram, b. Denmark, 1829; son of Peter Gram and Karen ———. He and his wife are highly esteemed people in Marinette, Wis., where they have long lived. Mr. Gram is one of the most honorable, straightforward business men in Wisconsin, and owes his great success entirely to his own efforts. He has been alderman of the third ward of Marinette. He is now member of the firm of N. Luddington & Co. He came to America in 1849 and has been a faithful citizen in all these years.
- (5) Eliza P. Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Nov. 6, 1847; resides 376 Washington Street, Winona, Minn.; m., Nov. 13, 1869, James R. Morton, b. Bordentown, N. J., Sept. 17, 1843; a very successful machinist; son of Abraham Morton and Leah ———.
- (6) May A. Morton, b. Jan. 2, 1875; d. Aug. 4, 1875.
- (5) George H. Merryman, d. March 28, 1841 (19m.).
- (5) Daughter, d. Feb. 13, 1840 (10w.).
- (4) Timothy Merryman, Jr., b. July 21, 1799; d. Bowdoin, Me., June 18, 1874 (74y., 10m., 27d.); he was captain of a militia company at Brunswick, Me., in his younger days; he moved to Bowdoin, Me., in 1832. He drove logs on the Androscoggin River 24 springs, as one of the hands and then as master driver; the rest of the seasons he was a foreman in sawmills; m., Dec., 1825, Appa Anne Berry, b. Minot (now Auburn), Me., March 22, 1800; d. Bowdoin, Me., Jan. 11, 1877 (76y., 9m., 19d.); daughter of Samuel Berry and Rosamond Welch.

- (5) Henry Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., Oct. 27, 1827; resides Bowdoin, Me.; worked as a ship carpenter 25 years; farmer since then; single.
- (5) Timothy Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., May 26, 1831; d. April 20, 1903; house carpenter and farmer; m. (first), Dec. 25, 1858, Emma F. Carr, who d. April 27, 1881 (40y., 11m.); m. (second), Sept. 24, 1884, Emily Chase, b. Bowdoin, Me., July 19, 1850.
- (5) Charles H. Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Aug. 18, 1835; farmer; m., April 20, 1862, Maria H. Mountfort, b. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 8, 1837.
- (4) Maj. Paul Merryman, b. June 8, 1802; d. Brunswick, Me., Oct. 4, 1884 (82y.); m. Hannah Chase of Litchfield, Me., b. March 15, 1803; d. May 11, 1891 (79y.).
- (5) Alonzo Merryman, b. Jan. 10, 1829; drowned Sept. 8, 1834 (8y.).
- (5) Edwin Merryman, b. March 28, 1833; d. Aug. 20, 1835.
- (5) Frances Ellen Merryman, b. May 26, 1836; d. Feb. 18, 1851.
- (5) William Edwin Merryman, b. 1838; d. Oct. 9, 1839.
- (5) Martha Ann Merryman, m. and lives at West Bath, Me.; no children.
- (4) Catherine Merryman, b. June 8, 1804; d. Jan. 2, 1890 (85y.); m., April 7, 1830, Samuel C. Moody, b. Buxton, Me., July 6, 1805; d. Brunswick, Me., May 18, 1832; he was a farmer at the old Merryman homestead at Rocky Hill, Brunswick, Me.
- (5) John F. Moody, b. June 4, 1831; d. Aug. 28, 1898; single.
- (4) Harriet Merryman, b. 1806; d. March 6, 1882; single.
- (4) Nancy Merryman, b. April 27, 1808; d. Feb. 15, 1892; single.
- (4) Sarah Merryman, b. May 9, 1810; d. April 6, 1832; m., 1848, William Graves, b. Topsham, Me., March 10, 1797; d. May 27, 1863; farmer; son of William Graves and Sarah Jaques.
- (5) Charles Albert Graves, b. Dec. 31, 1849; m., Oct. 30, 1879, Kate Landers, d. Feb. 13, 1894 (42y.).
- (6) Twin sons, William Winthrope and John Melvin, b. March 15, 1881.
- (4) Martha Merryman, b. April 8, 1814; d. Dec. 15, 1886 (74y.); resided at New Meadows, Brunswick, Me.; m. Charles Cowen Snow, b. New Meadows, March 25, 1814; d. Sept. 1, 1899; son of Jordan Snow and Lucy Cowen.
- (5) John Snow, b. Sept. 9, 1849; resides New Meadows, Me.; m. Miss Williams of Foster's Point, Me.; no children.

- (5) Charles E. Snow, b. July 20, 1852; resides New Meadows, Me.; m., June 3, 1891, Ida M. Jordan, b. April 3, 1864; daughter of Augustus Jordan and Marietta Doughty.
- (6) Augustus Jordan Snow, b. June 9, 1893.
- (6) Ernest B. Snow, b. Oct. 27, 1897.
- (5) Abbie J. Snow, b. June 21, 1854; resides New Meadows, Me.
- (5) Alvah Snow, b. April 27, 1857; resides New Meadows, Me.; m. Josephine Linscott.
- (6) Bert Snow.
- (6) Abbie Snow.
- (4) Hugh Merryman, b. Aug. 27, 1814; d. May 2, 1896; resided Marinette, Wis.; m., Oct., 1841, Julia Ann Winslow, b. Sept. 16, 1823.
- (5) Cushman Merryman, b. Nov. 3, 1843; resides Lake Crystal, Minn.; m., in Fond du Lac, Wis., 1870, Minerva Billings.
- (5) Harriet Allen Merryman, b. March 14, 1852; m., May 24, 1875, Samuel H. Johnstone; he is a merchant in Marinette, Wis.
- (5) Julia Ann Merryman, b. June 9, 1858; d. Fond du Lac, Wis., March 13, 1873.
- (5) Lizzie Neal Merryman, b. Sept. 5, 1864.
- (4) Cordelia Merryman, b. 1816; d. 1877; resided Rocky Hill, Brunswick, Me.; m. Stephen Stone, b. New Brunswick; d. at LaCrosse, Wis.
- (5) Six children.

SECTION SECOND.

Records of Hugh Merryman², son of Ancestor Walter Merryman¹. Neither the date of his birth nor death could be found. Judging by the date of his wife's birth he must have been born about 1744. He lived for a long time on Birch Island, off Harpswell Neck. His home was noted as a place of great hospitality.

Hugh Merryman married Delight Bailey⁵, who was born at Hanover, Mass., Jan. 12, 1745. Baptized, Hanover, Mass., Aug. 4, 1745. She was the daughter of Dea. Timothy Bailey¹ and his second wife, Hannah Curtiss. For the Bailey genealogy see the first page of this book.

CHAPTER I.

The first child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Timothy Merryman, b. Aug. 10, 1765; d. June 29, 1846; he d. in Topsham, Me., with his daughter, Mrs. Leah Tarr; m. Betsy Gardner of Birch Island, Harpswell, Me., b. Hanover, Mass., and d. Great Chebeague Island, about 1847; she was a sister of Maj. James Gardner.
- (4) Delight Merryman, m. Joel Ricker of Great Chebeague Island.
 - (5) Robert Ricker, resides Deering, Me.
 - (5) Rufus Ricker, resides Chebeague Island, Me.
 - (5) Stephen Ricker, resides Chebeague Island, Me.
 - (5) George Ricker.
 - (5) Skotfield Ricker.
 - (5) Lizzie Ricker.
 - (5) Hattie Ricker.
- (4) Hugh Merryman, b. Feb. 25, 1787; d. Chebeague Island, Me., about 1855; m. (first), April 6, 1814, Sarah Henley, daughter of John Henley, one of the first settlers of Norway, Me.; m. (second), Lucy Edwards of Portland, Me.; no children of this second marriage.
- (5) Mary Merryman, m. Henry Eastman of Conway, N. H.

- (5) Olive Merryman, m. Eben Hamilton of Great Chebeague Island, Me.
- (6) Nine children.
- (5) John Skolfield Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., April 2, 1826; d. Sept. 11, 1894; lived on Great Chebeague Island and at South Portland, Me; m., Jan. 1, 1851, Lavina Hamilton, b. Nov. 4, 1826; daughter of James Hamilton, Jr., and Sally Hutchins.
- (6) Ida Annette Merryman, b. Oct. 3, 1852; a very efficient trained nurse.
- (6) Alphonse Merryman, b. Oct. 15, 1853; a night watchman in Portland, Me.; m., 1881, Sarah Bell.
- (6) Arthur Noyes Merryman, b. Oct. 27, 1857; d. about 1872.
- (6) John F. Merryman, b. Chebeague Island, Me., April 21, 1859; moved to South Portland, Me., 1867; in the grocery business; has also been postmaster several years and tax collector 1889-'93; m., Nov. 18, 1880, Caroline Thompson, b. Portland, Me., Nov. 24, 1860; daughter of Charles Thompson and Caroline Knight.
- (7) Florence Helena Merryman, b. Aug. 21, 1881.
- (7) Ethel Gertrude Merryman, b. July 2, 1883.
- (7) Alvah Tilton Merryman, b. March 31, 1885.
- (7) Caroline Adelaide Merryman, b. Sept. 10, 1892.
- (6) Clarence Martin Merryman, b. Aug. 12, 1864; in the grocery business; m. Annie Collier.
- (7) Alice Horton Merryman, b. Sept. 9, 1891.
- (7) Philip Robinson Merryman, b. Feb. 8, 1893.
- (5) Hannah Merryman, m. Ambrose Hamilton of Great Chebeague Island, Me.
- (6) Four children.
- (4) Timothy Merryman, Jr., b. Harpswell, Me., Jan. 19, 1789; killed by the falling of a block on a vessel in Boston Harbor when he was about twenty years old.
- (4) Delight Merryman, b. Dec. 5, 1791; m., March 28, 1809, Richard Tarr, b. July 19, 1783.
- (4) John Merryman, b. May 3, 1794; d. Dec., 1797.
- (4) Martin Merryman, b. Nov. 15, 1797; d. March 27, 1830; m. Margaret R. Miller of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Caroline S. Merryman, b. 1830; d. July 10, 1864; m. Capt. Edward I. Farr of Orr's Island, Me.
- (5) Hugh Merryman, d. young.
- (4) Leah Merryman, b. Jan. 1, 1800; d. March 12, 1882; m., June 17, 1817, Clark Tarr, b. Harpswell, Me., June 27, 1795; d. at 84 years.

- (5) Martha A. Tarr, b. Dec. 6, 1819; m., 1854, Edgar Snow.
- (5) Martin M. Tarr, b. Feb. 4, 1822; a doctor at Middletown, Ohio; m. (first), 1850, Hannah B. Lord of Limington, Me.; m. (second), May 3, 1867, Wilmina M. Taminy.

Children of second wife:

- (6) Lillian E. Tarr, b. Sept. 16, 1869; m. (first), 1880, George Anders; m. (second), James Leon Foster of Livermore Falls, Me.

Child of first husband:

- (7) George Anders, Jr.
- (6) Stella W. Tarr, b. Oct. 2, 1872; m., May 9, 1896, Ridge Shafer. He is in the coal business at Middleton, Ohio.
- (6) Warren M. Tarr, b. Oct. 22, 1874.
- (7) Orvis Tarr.
- (6) Zina Tarr, b. Jan. 21, 1879; m., Oct. 2, 1895, Edward Stover, b. Butler County, Ohio, April 26, 1874.
- (7) Almon Martin Stover, b. Nov. 9, 1896; d. Jan., 1897.
- (7) Earl Stover, b. Aug. 6, 1898.
- (6) Florence E. Tarr, b. Feb. 3, 1880; m., Feb. 16, 1898, Jacob E. Huff.
- (7) Velma Huff.
- (7) Herbert Huff.
- (5) Richard Tarr, b. April 9, 1825; d. Aug. 1, 1892; m., Dec. 2, 1855, Margaret C. Alexander, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 31, 1827; d. Dec. 2, 1891; daughter of Ezekiel Alexander and Elizabeth Allen.
- (6) Ezekiel C. Tarr, b. Dec. 10, 1856; resides Topsham, Me.; m., Dec. 10, 1887, Martha Jane Rich, b. Jan. 24, 1865; daughter of Zoeth Rich, Jr., and May G. Green.
- (7) Lizzie May Tarr, b. Jan. 2, 1890; d. July 26, 1891.
- (6) James A. Tarr, b. Sept. 27, 1859; m., Oct. 12, 1888, Martha Lena Tedford.
- (7) Seven children.
- (6) Child, b. Oct. 30, 1861; d. Nov. 26, 1861.
- (6) Child, b. Oct. 30, 1861; d. Dec. 11, 1861.
- (6) Lizzie Alexander Tarr, b. Oct. 23, 1867; m., Feb. 28, 1894, Schuyler Colfax Andrews, b. ———.
- (7) Walter Clark Andrews, b. May 21, 1898.
- (5) Francis P. Tarr, b. April 6, 1827; m. Priscilla Harmon.
- (5) Albert J. Tarr, b. Feb. 4, 1830; m., Jan. 27, 1857, Bertha J. Alexander, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 23, 1828; daughter of Ezekiel Alexander and Elizabeth Allen.
- (6) Henry A. Tarr, b. May 22, 1865; m., Jan. 10, 1899, Sadie J. Roberts.

- (5) Kate C. Tarr, b. Oct. 11, 1832; m. Samuel Dain.
- (5) Elizabeth Tarr, b. June 9, 1836; m. Warren Dain.
- (5) Lucy A. Tarr, b. Dec. 2, 1839; m. Charles Jameson.
- (5) Lydia M. Tarr, b. July 29, 1846; m. A. M. Goodwin.
- (4) Elizabeth Merryman, b. Birch Island, Me., June 25, 1807;
d. June 5, 1865; m., Dec. 31, 1834, Capt. Benjamin Henley
of Cape Elizabeth, Me., b. Feb. 27, 1805; d. Nov. 4, 1880;
son of John Henley and Sarah ———.
- (5) Capt. Benjamin F. Henley, b. March 13, 1836.
- (5) Capt. Edward S. Henley, b. Sept. 7, 1837.
- (5) George Frederic Henley, b. June 8, 1840; for many years
a most efficient principal of the grammar school, South
Portland, Me.; m., Sept. 29, 1859, Miriam Lavina Day,
b. Small Point, Me., June 14, 1839; daughter of Capt.
Nelson Sprague Day and Mary B. Johnson.
- (6) Lizzie May Henley, b. Oct. 17, 1860; m., Sept. 6, 1884,
Edward R. Farwell, who d. Sept., 1886.
- (6) Emeline Angie Henley, b. May 28, 1863; d. Aug. 28,
1864.
- (6) Emeline Theresa Henley, b. May 18, 1865.
- (6) Frederick Vernon Henley, b. May 25, 1867.
- (6) Myrtie Belle Henley, b. April 11, 1869; d. Oct. 30, 1884.
- (6) George Harmon Burns Henley, b. Aug. 16, 1872; d.
May 8, 1877.
- (6) Clara G. Henley, b. June 16, 1874.
- (5) Capt. Harmon T. Henley, b. March 15, 1843; lost at sea
on the Pacific coast, 1889; m. Lilly ———.
- (6) Martin; William; Jeremiah Treat.
- (5) Capt. Alpheus Henley, b. Aug. 29, 1844; lost at sea Aug.
7, 1895; m. Louisa Sylvester.
- (6) Helen T. Henley, m. Captain Reed of Boothbay, Me.
- (6) Louisa Henley.
- (6) Rosamond Henley.
- (6) Son.
- (6) Three other children, d. of diphtheria in infancy.
- (5) Mary E. Henley, b. Aug. 29, 1847; resides Rockport,
Mass.; m. Capt. Charles S. C. Orr, b. Dec. 7, 1840; son of
Stephen Orr and Abigail Clark; grandson of Richard
Orr and May Sinnett of Orr's Island, Me.
- (6) Four children, two of whom are deceased.

CHAPTER II.

The second child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Hugh, b. 1767; d. young.

CHAPTER III.

The third child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Hannah Bailey Merryman, b. 1769; d. Dec. 25, 1843; m., April 5, 1786, Stephen Sinnett², b. Orr's Island, Me., July 16, 1765; d. July 17, 1844 (79y.); son of Ancestor Michael Sinnett¹ of Orr's Island and Molly Ward of Hingham, Mass.; resided Orr's Island, Me.; 11 children.
- (4) Hannah Sinnett, b. July 2, 1787; d. March 21, 1865; m., March 12, 1812, Richard Orr, 2d., b. June, 1790; d. July 22, 1848.
 - (5) Rebecca Orr, m. David Orr, 2d.
 - (6) Hugh; David; George E.
 - (5) Mary Jane Orr, b. April 13, 1815; d. Dec. 19, 1890; m., Feb. 24, 1838, Isaac J. Littlejohn, b. Long Island, Me., Nov. 15, 1815; d. Jan. 14, 1893.
 - (6) Hannah Bailey Littlejohn, b. Orr's Island, Me., June 22, 1840; m., Dec. 11, 1858, Timothy B. Percy, b. Phippsburg, Me., Oct. 28, 1835; merchant at Portland, Me.
 - (7) Aurelia Clinton Percy, b. Nov. 17, 1859.
 - (7) Gershom Lincoln Percy, b. Dec. 10, 1862; m., Jan. 23, 1901, Myron Alton Craik of Minneapolis, Minn.
 - (7) Clara Isabel Percy, b. Oct. 30, 1870; m., April 1, 1896, Charles H. Van Note of Boston, Mass.
 - (8) Percival Van Note, b. 1897.
 - (5) George Orr, b. Jan. 10, 1817; d. Feb. 22, 1878; m., Nov. 20, 1845, Harriet N. Totman, b. Aug. 10, 1819; d. 1904.
 - (5) Dunning Orr, b. Feb. 1, 1821; d. Sept. 15, 1880; m., Nov. 18, 1848, Adeline G. Totman, b. Oct. 24, 1829; d. Dec. 14, 1872.
 - (6) Richard Orr.
 - (6) Harriet E. Orr
 - (6) Hiram C. Orr.
 - (6) Frank J. Orr.
 - (5) Abigail Orr, b. Oct. 14, 1825; m., Dec. 12, 1845, Simeon Littlejohn.
 - (6) Rebecca J.; Julie Ellen; Abner L.; Charlotte E.; Minot D.; Edward Simeon; Nathan H.; Hannah Y.; Jacob Howard.
- (4) Capt. James Sinnett, b. June 18, 1790; d. Dec. 21, 1881; resided Bailey's Island, Me.; a noble Christian man; m., March 11, 1812, May Johnson, b. May 30, 1790; d. March 12, 1861; daughter of David Johnson and Jane Rodick.

- (5) Capt. David Sinnett, b. Aug. 24, 1813; d. Nov. 22, 1888; m., Nov. 6, 1839, Lucy J. Orr, b. Orr's Island, Me., Dec. 1, 1818; d. Nov. 17, 1885; daughter of Dea. William Orr.
- (6) Mary Frances Sinnett, b. Oct. 26, 1843; m. (first), Abizer Toothaker; m. (second), A. E. N. Bates of Portland, Me.; m. (third), Mr. Paul.
- Child of first husband:
- (7) Lucy Isabel Toothaker, b. Feb. 1, 1863.
- Child of second husband:
- (7) Ella Bates, b. May 25, 1876; m. Capt. Orrin V. Leeman.
- (8) Eddie Leeman.
- (8) Sumner V. Leeman.
- (6) Capt. William Orr Sinnett, b. Dec. 7, 1840; d. July 3, 1904; m. Mary Ann Horn, b. Dec. 5, 1844; d. Feb. 5, 1905.
- (7) Three sons.
- (8) Six grandchildren.
- (6) Harvey Swett Sinnett, b. Jan. 31, 1844; lost off Cape Horn Feb. 11, 1868.
- (6) Emery Warren Sinnett, b. March 10, 1849; drowned July 31, 1871.
- (6) Malvina Isabel Sinnett, b. July 10, 1851; m. Sumner W. Braley of Portland, Me.
- (7) Son, b. 1892; d. 1893.
- (5) Capt. Hugh Sinnett, b. Oct. 27, 1814; always resided at Bailey Island, Me.; m., Nov. 6, 1838, Margaret P. Perry, b. Jan. 8, 1816; d. July 11, 1902; daughter of Capt. David Perry and Jane Alexander.
- (6) David Perry Sinnett, b. Oct. 19, 1843; m., April 22, 1867, May Caroline Alexander, b. Oct. 16, 1840; d. Aug. 25, 1886; daughter of David Perry Alexander and Finette Greenleaf.
- (7) Chester Sinnett, b. Feb. 12, 1868; m., March 24, 1892, Jennie S. Stetson, b. July 17, 1865.
- (8) Chester M. Sinnett.
- (8) Chester Perry Sinnett.
- (7) Herbert Perry Sinnett, b. Oct. 30, 1870; m., Sept. 24, 1893, Mrs. Bessie D. Potter, b. West Gardiner, Me., Sept. 9, 1864.
- (8) Effie Mildred Sinnett, b. June 12, 1896.
- (7) Maggie Belle Sinnett, b. March 30, 1874; d. Dec. 3, 1880.

- (7) Maggie E. Sinnett, b. March 30, 1874; m. Claude R. Johnson, b. Dec. 17, 1878.
- (8) Vilera Belle Johnson, b. March 14, 1902.
- (6) Charles Nelson Sinnett, b. May 31, 1847; Congregational minister; writer of books and of prose and verse for papers and magazines.
- (5) Ralph Sinnett, b. Dec. 16, 1818; d. Sept. 26, 1891; m., Jan. 7, 1855, Jane Pinkham of Harpswell, Me.
- (5) Mary Sinnett, b. Nov. 27, 1822; d. June 25, 1905; m. (first), Nov. 6, 1841, Adam Sinnett, b. Oct. 26, 1817; d. June 8, 1844; m. (second), May 27, 1849, John Douglass of Bucksport, Me., b. Oct. 20, 1820; d. March 20, 1889; son of William Douglass and Mary Sinnett⁴.

Child of first husband:

- (6) Edward Farr Sinnett, b. Dec. 2, 1842; m., Dec. 11, 1867, Clara D. Hopkins, who d. May 15, 1896.
- (7) Vernon Howard Sinnett, b. Aug. 29, 1868; m., Dec. 31, 1895, Ethel Farmer, b. Verona, Me., Feb. 16, 1876.
- (8) Ralph Vernon Sinnett, b. March 12, 1897.
- (8) Frances Sinnett, b. Jan. 15, 1904.
- (7) Jennie Stover Sinnett, b. Nov. 22, 1869.

Child of second husband:

- (6) James Howard Douglass, b. Oct. 17, 1850; m. (first), Annie L. Smith, who d. Oct. 3, 1895; m. (second), May 28, 1896, Florence Young.

Children of first wife:

- (7) John H. Douglass, b. Oct. 13, 1884.
- (7) Paul Douglass, b. March 28, 1893.
- (5) James Sinnett, Jr., b. July 9, 1825; m. (first), May 1, 1853, Margaret Johnson, b. Feb. 11, 1834; d. 1863; m. (second), Jan. 18, 1864, Hannah S. Blake, b. Boothbay, Me., Jan. 11, 1823; d. Jan. 29, 1900.

Children of first wife:

- (6) Mary Jane Sinnett, b. Feb. 11, 1856; d. April 22, 1864.
- (6) Gertrude H. Sinnett, b. May 3, 1858; d. April 22, 1864.
- (6) Walter Scott Sinnett, b. 1860; m., Oct. 8, 1890, Lucy Emma Johnson, b. May 16, 1872.
- (7) Gertie May; David S.; John M.; Ida.

Child of second wife:

- (6) Curtiss Sumner Sinnett, b. Aug. 1, 1867; d. 1869.
- (5) Capt. William Sinnett, b. Nov. 27, 1827; d. Jan. 14, 1894; m., Jan. 4, 1852, Sarah Bennett, b. Bucksport, Me., June 4, 1828; daughter of Davis Bennett and Sally Sinnett⁴.

- (6) Clara Ella Sinnett, d. Nov. 22, 1856.
- (6) Jennie Sinnett, d. Nov. 30, 1863.
- (6) Clara Ella Sinnett, b. June 19, 1858; m., 1878, Oscar Skillings.
- (7) Sarah Louise Skillings, b. March 31, 1879; m., April 12, 1894, Edwin Herbert Hartshorn, b. Dec. 25, 1876.
- (8) Alice Louise Hartshorn, b. Nov. 25, 1897.
- (7) George Hugh Bennett Skillings, b. May 19, 1880; m., Nov. 28, 1901, Gertrude S. Soule, b. Feb. 7, 1880.
- (8) George Franklin Skillings, b. Jan. 19, 1904.
- (7) William Franklin Skillings, b. Oct. 4, 1884.
- (7) Everett Sinnett Skillings, b. July 16, 1888.
- (5) Jane Johnson Sinnett, b. June 20, 1830; d. Jan., 1876; m., May 1, 1851, Capt. Lemuel Hinkly Stover, b. March 6, 1825.
- (6) May Louise Stover, b. Dec. 22, 1852; m., Oct. 9, 1877, Capt. James Lewis Orr, b. March 28, 1846; d. May 10, 1900.
- (7) Ethel Waldron Orr, b. Dec. 30, 1882.
- (6) Lizzie Morton Stover, b. Aug. 8, 1855; m., April 29, 1885, Capt. Sylvester S. Dunning, b. Jan. 9, 1854.
- (7) Herbert Sylvester Dunning, b. March 2, 1887.
- (7) Willis Chandler Dunning, b. May 2, 1889.
- (6) Lemuel Stover, Jr., b. Aug. 17, 1865; d. Jan. 17, 1866.
- (5) Hannah Bailey Sinnett, b. Jan. 11, 1836; d. Feb. 16, 1901; m. (first), Dec. 5, 1852, Capt. William Thomas, b. Oct. 23, 1823; d. 1858; m. (second), Jan., 1872, Capt. James Thomas, b. Aug. 23, 1819; d. March 16, 1901.

Child of first husband:

- (6) Paulina Thomas, b. Aug. 9, 1857; m., Dec. 19, 1878, Capt. Edmond F. Black, b. Dec. 19, 1854.
- (7) May Isabel Black, b. Sept. 25, 1879; m., Jan. 29, 1899, Walter E. Johnson.
- (8) Two children.
- (7) Jennie Emeline Black, b. March 9, 1880; m., Oct. 6, 1903, Willie W. Johnson.
- (7) William Thomas Black, b. Sept. 17, 1881; m., Jan., 1903, Susie E. Bennett.
- (7) Charles Perry Black, b. May 23, 1885; d. Nov. 14, 1902.
- (7) Margaret Sinnett Black, b. July 4, 1887.
- (7) Hannah Bailey Black, b. Aug. 7, 1890.

Children of second husband:

- (6) Ralph Thomas, b. April 1, 1874; m., July 3, 1900, Charlotte M. Estes.

- (6) Jennie Thomas, b. Feb. 4, 1877; d. Aug. 22, 1877.
 - (4) Hugh Sinnett, b. Sept. 12, 1792; d. Dec. 26, 1876; m., Dec. 18, 1817. Susannah Orr, b. May 2, 1798; d. Jan. 25, 1861.
 - (5) Richard Orr Sinnett, b. July 18, 1818; d. Nov. 21, 1852; m., Nov. 14, 1839, Paulina Farr, b. 1820; d. April 29, 1885.
 - (6) Hugh Sinnett, m. twice.
 - (7) Two children.
 - (6) Almira Sinnett, m. Levi Snow.
 - (6) Susan Ann Sinnett, m. Edwin Smith.
 - (7) Two sons.
 - (6) Arabel Sinnett, b. Jan. 22, 1848; d. March 18, 1862.
 - (6) Francis Marion Sinnett, b. Jan. 9, 1851.
 - (5) Hannah Sinnett, b. Jan. 7, 1821; d. Jan. 29, 1842; m. James Sinnett, 2d., b. Oct. 26, 1811; d. March 27, 1871.
 - (6) George W. Sinnett, m. Hannah Thompson.
 - (7) Two children.
 - (8) Three grandchildren.
 - (6) Harriet Ann Sinnett, m. David Doughty.
 - (7) Seven children.
 - (5) Sarah Ann Sinnett, b. Jan. 19, 1825; d. Jan. 6, 1905; m., Oct. 19, 1845, James Sinnett, 2d., b. Oct. 26, 1811; d. March 27, 1871.
 - (6) Hannah Sinnett, b. 1816; d. June 29, 1863.
 - (6) Julia Emeline, b. Sept. 1, 1855; m. Jesse W. Doughty, b. April 2, 1852.
 - (7) Three children.
 - (5) Hiram Sinnett, b. Sept. 15, 1826; d. Aug. 30, 1860; m. Priscilla Jane Littlejohn.
 - (6) Hiram Granville Sinnett, b. Jan. 8, 1859; m. Annie J. Boyd of Winthrop, Me.
 - (7) Child.
 - (5) John Sinnett, b. March 19, 1829; m. (first), Mary Andrews of Lisbon, Me.; m. (second), Rebekah J. C. Skolfield, b. Jan. 22, 1833; d. Aug. 26, 1902.
- Child of first wife:
- (6) Freddie, b. July 4, 1859; d. Sept. 23, 1882.
- Children of second wife:
- (6) Five children.
 - (7) Eight grandchildren.
 - (5) Mary Jane Sinnett, b. Jan. 28, 1836; d. Nov. 24, 1854; m. Abizer S. Toothaker.
 - (5) William Henry Sinnett, b. Jan. 28, 1836; m., Jan. 9, 1857, Joanna Thompson, b. Jan. 25, 1839.
 - (6) Four children.

- (7) Seven grandchildren.
- (4) Mary Sinnett, b. Jan. 31, 1795; d. April 5, 1875; m., Feb. 4, 1819, William Douglass, b. Jan. 12, 1795; d. Bucksport, Me., Jan. 21, 1821; son of Elijah Douglass and Jenny Grant.
- (5) John Douglass, m. Mary Sinnett. (See p. 54.)
- (5) Julia A. Douglass, m. John R. Chipman.
- (6) Seven children.
- (7) Six grandchildren.
- (5) Capt. William Douglass, m. Thankful W. Hinks.
- (6) Four children.
- (7) Five grandchildren.
- (5) Richard Douglass; single.
- (5) Eliza Handy Douglass, m. Jesse Atwood.
- (6) Three children.
- (7) Four grandchildren.
- (5) Stephen Douglass, m. Lucia R. Everett.
- (5) Davis B. Douglass, m. Priscilla Atwood.
- (5) Mary Jane Douglass, m. William Williams.
- (6) Four children.
- (7) Two grandchildren.
- (4) John Sinnett, b. July 14, 1797; d. Aug. 17, 1893 (96y., 1m., 3d.); m., Nov. 27, 1823, Anna Orr, b. Sept. 30, 1803; d. Dec. 29, 1858; daughter of Richard Orr, 1st, and Mary Sinnett.
- (5) Mary Orr Sinnett, b. Oct. 16, 1823; resides Santa Cruz, Cal.; m., Oct. 14, 1847, Henry Jordan.
- (6) Three children.
- (7) Four grandchildren.
- (5) Susan Sinnett, b. Dec. 29, 1825.
- (5) Arthur Reed Sinnett, b. May 29, 1829; m. (first), Olive M. Durgan; m. (second), Elizabeth Sprague of Phippsburg, Me.
- (6) Seven children.
- (7) Six grandchildren.
- (5) Eliza Sinnett, b. Nov. 10, 1831.
- (5) John Edward Sinnett, b. March 27, 1834; resides Sacramento, Cal.; m. (first), Paulina W. Snow; m. (second), Arabella V. Carpenter of Sacramento, Cal.
- Children of first wife:
 - (6) Three children.
 - (7) Two grandchildren.
- Child of second wife:
 - (6) Leone Sinnett, b. Feb. 28, 1882; m., April 8, 1900, Frank B. Gillett; stenographer.

- (5) Olive Ann Sinnett, b. Nov. 10, 1836; m., July 18, 1873, Moses A. Meader, who d. Oct. 13, 1890.
- (5) Evalina Sinnett, b. March 10, 1839.
- (5) Lydia Ellen Sinnett, b. July 7, 1841; m., May 27, 1888, William S. Robinson of Weld, Me.
- (4) Olive Sinnett, b. March 31, 1800; d. Oct. 20, 1890; m., Dec. 2, 1824, Capt. David Doughty, b. Nov. 11, 1800; d. Feb. 1, 1885; resided Great Island, Me.
- (5) Jesse Doughty, b. Feb. 18, 1827; d. Nov., 1831.
- (5) James Doughty, b. May 18, 1828; lost at sea, Jan. 19, 1861; m. Hannah Chapman.
- (5) William Doughty, b. April 16, 1831; d. Aug. 19, 1897; m. Sept. 13, 1859, Mary P. Holbrook, b. Nov. 7, 1833.
- (6) Hugh S. Doughty, b. Aug. 23, 1860; m., Aug. 13, 1890, Emma E. Snow.
- (6) Almira K. Doughty, b. July 10, 1842; m., June 3, 1893, Walter T. Curtiss of West Harpswell, Me.
- (7) Four children.
- (6) Carrie A. Doughty, b. June 21, 1864; m. George L. Roberts of Brunswick, Me.
- (7) James L. Roberts, b. Dec. 6, 1888.
- (6) Olive E. Doughty, b. Aug. 3, 1865; d. Aug. 7, 1883.
- (6) James W. Doughty, b. Sept. 21, 1866; m., Feb. 6, 1885, Mrs. Eliza F. (Orr) Pennell, b. Brunswick, Me., June 10, 1860.
- (7) Grace Mary Doughty, b. Feb., 1886; d. March, 1886.
- (7) Mildred Josephine Doughty, b. Aug. 10, 1892.
- (7) Elbert James Doughty, b. Dec. 29, 1894.
- (7) Frances Eliza Doughty, b. Dec. 1, 1897.
- (7) Catherine Olive Doughty, b. July 10, 1889; d. Dec. 17, 1892.
- (6) David Henry Doughty, b. Jan. 28, 1873.
- (5) Hugh S. Doughty, b. Aug. 6, 1833; d. Cuba, May 8, 1852.
- (4) Sally Sinnett, b. Aug. 6, 1802; d. Oct. 4, 1890; m., March 28, 1822, Davis Bennett, b. July 15, 1793; d. Bucksport, Me., Feb. 4, 1866; son of Job Bennett and Mary Haridan.
- (5) Twelve children.
- (6) Forty-four grandchildren.
- (7) Forty-five great-grandchildren.
- (4) Elmira Sinnett, b. July 7, 1804; d. April 2, 1892; m., Dec. 28, 1826, John Kemp, b. Nov. 24, 1797; d. Aug. 24, 1859.
- (5) Stephen S. Kemp, m. Lydia Raymond Coombs.
- (6) Lydia Abbie Kemp, m. Albert P. Alexander.
- (5) Almira S. Kemp, m. Gilman Dresser.
- (6) Wentworth Dresser.

- (7) Six children.
- (6) Adelaide Dresser, m. Sam O. Holbrook.
- (7) Eight children.
- (6) Fannie Dresser, m. Charles Hamilton.
- (6) Fred H. Dresser.
- (5) William Henry Kemp, m. Cornelia Ann Johnson.
- (6) Fourteen children.
- (7) Seventeen grandchildren.
- (4) Delight Sinnett, b. May 2, 1807; d. 1904 (97y., 2m., 13d.); m., Dec. 16, 1831, Capt. William Doughty of Great Island, Me.
- (5) Hannah Ann Doughty, b. Feb. 18, 1840; m., June 9, 1861, Augustus P. Jordan.
- (6) Ida Mary Jordan, b. April 3, 1864; m., Jan. 3, 1891, Charles E. Snow.
- (7) Augustus J. Snow, b. June 9, 1893.
- (7) Ernest S. Snow, b. Oct. 27, 1897.
- (6) Harvey W. Jordan, b. June 2, 1872.
- (5) William Henry Doughty, b. Sept. 14, 1844; d. Sept. 9, 1896.
- (5) Marietta Doughty, b. March 28, 1846; m., May 6, 1865, Charles E. Trufant.
- (6) Mary Stover Trufant, b. Oct. 10, 1873; m., March 6, 1895, Fred S. Curtiss.
- (7) Mildred T. Curtiss, b. Aug. 11, 1898.
- (6) Charles Irving Trufant, b. Nov. 23, 1879; m., Dec. 31, 1904, Olive Metcalf Weeks.
- (5) Sarah Frances Doughty, b. Feb. 21, 1848; m., April 3, 1867, Isaiah G. Trufant of Durham, Me., who d. Dec. 4, 1894.
- (6) Marietta Trufant, b. Jan. 10, 1870; m., Nov. 26, 1889, Merton G. Stackpole.
- (7) Hazel Trufant Stackpole, b. March 13, 1891.
- (6) William D. Trufant, b. Jan. 20, 1874; m., March 16, 1895, Florence M. Brown.
- (7) Gladys Mary Trufant, b. May 11, 1896.
- (4) Stephen Sinnett, b. Sept. 7, 1811; d. May 1, 1893; m. (first), Dec. 6, 1832, Thankful Johnson; m. (second), Sept. 23, 1866, Caroline Leeman.
- Child of first wife:
 - (5) Abigail Sinnett, b. 1834; d. July 19, 1881; m. (first), Dec. 26, 1854, George Farr; m. (second), Nov. 25, 1860, John H. Frye.
- (4) Deborah Sinnett, b. May 27, 1811; d. Dec. 15, 1852; single.

CHAPTER IV.

The fourth child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) John Merryman, b. 1771; d. Bath, Me., Nov. 5, 1827; m., Aug. 21, 1797, Molly Skolfield³; daughter of Thomas Skolfield², Jr., and Ann Anderson.
- (4) Susan Merryman, b. Aug. 17, 1798; d. at Brunswick, Me., Dec. 6, 1824; m., in Robbinston, Me., 1815, Otis Childs, a merchant of Eastport, Me., and d. Oct. 16, 1824.
- (5) Mary Skolfield Childs, b. Eastport, Me., Jan. 9, 1821; m., in Lubec, Me., Nov. 28, 1847, George Russell, a ship-builder; resides 20 Veranda Street, Portland, Me.
- (6) George Edward Russell, b. Aug. 24, 1848; d. Nov. 7, 1849.
- (6) Abbie Saraph Russell, b. May 15, 1851.
- (6) Edna Atwood Russell, b. Dec. 8, 1852; m., Aug., 1872, William W. Merrill.
- (7) Novena Aldine Merrill, b. March 27, 1874; m., June 27, 1890, Arthur Winslow Clark of Portland, Me.
- (7) Edna Russell Merrill, b. Dec. 15, 1875; m., Sept. 15, 1897, Ralph L. Merrill of Portland, Me.
- (8) Helen Frances Merrill, b. Dec. 2, 1898.
- (8) Russell Merrill, b. April, 1901.
- (7) George Russell Merrill, b. Sept. 9, 1878.
- (7) Margaret Merrill, b. Dec. 24, 1879; graduated Colby University, Me.
- (7) William Leavitt Merrill, b. Oct. 9, 1881; linotypist.
- (6) Eben George Russell, b. May 7, 1855.
- (6) Martha Balch Russell, b. Feb. 12, 1857.
- (5) Martha Susan Childs, b. Portland, Me., Oct. 6, 1823; d. Lubec, Me., Oct. 26, 1865; m., Dec. 24, 1844, James W. Congdon, a farmer of Lubec, Me., who d. Oct., 1883.
- Children b. at Lubec, Me.:
 - (6) Mary C. Congdon, b. March 16, 1848; m., Nov. 18, 1868, William Russell, a ship carpenter.
 - (7) Grace Merryman Russell, b. Dec. 22, 1869; m., Nov. 6, 1895, Dana Libby, a civil engineer.
 - (7) Alice Gertrude Russell, b. Feb. 2, 1875, a teacher at Portland, Me.
- (6) Martha Hannah Congdon, b. Sept. 6, 1853; m., in Deer-ing, Me., Dec. 24, 1878, Adin Arnold.
- (7) Bessie Arnold, m. Herbert Trigley.
- (6) Addie Vesta Congdon, b. Nov. 23, 1855.

- (6) William Childs Congdon, b. Feb. 23, 1857; d. July 3, 1878.
- (6) George Augustus Congdon, b. Nov. 22, 1859; clerk in West Somerville, Mass.
- (6) Frank Everett Congdon, b. May 21, 1861; m., June 9, 1885, Alice Maria Cole, b. Bridgton, Me., Dec. 3, 1864; daughter of Jacob Porter Cole and Phæbe Jane Fessenden.
 - (7) Frank Gilbert Congdon, b. Feb. 30, 1883.
 - (7) William Everett Congdon, b. June 9, 1886.
 - (7) Edith Mildred Congdon, b. March 31, 1888.
 - (7) Catherine Renewed Congdon, b. April 5, 1889.
- (4) Almira Merryman, b. Birch Island, Me., Nov. 27, 1801; d. Everett, Mass., Nov. 15, 1879; m., in Brunswick, Me., Nov., 1830, Lewis Waterman, b. Buckfield, Me., Dec. 18, 1798; d. April 15, 1869; his parents, John Waterman and Keziah Smith, were pioneers at Buckfield, Me.
- (5) Vesta J. Waterman, b. Livermore Falls, Me., May 14, 1834; resides Everett, Mass.; she gave fine help with these records; m., as his second wife, James Congdon, who d. Oct., 1833.
 - (6) Myra Congdon, a trained nurse in New York City.
 - (6) Lillian Congdon, m. Emery Cobb.
 - (7) Addie; Myra.
- (6) James Congdon.
- (5) Ormond L. Waterman, b. 1843; d. 1868.
- (5) Adeline M. Waterman, m. Nathaniel Ames of Medford, Mass.
 - (6) Nathaniel Ames, Jr.
- (4) Jacob Merryman, m. Susan Baker of Portland, Me.
 - (5) Susan Merryman.
 - (5) Walter Merryman.
 - (5) Richard Merryman.
 - (5) Mary Etta Merryman, m. William Kelly.
 - (6) Walter; Eugene; Ralph.
- (4) Martha Merryman, b. Dec. 26, 1803; d. West Lubec, Me., Oct. 17, 1870; m., in Brunswick, Me., Dec. 30, 1835, Hiram Augustus Balch, b. Bangor, Me., Oct. 29, 1804; d. West Lubec, Me., Jan. 29, 1872; a shipbuilder and did a large mill and lumber business; son of Maj. John Balch and Hannah Stone.
- (5) Hiram Augustus Balch, b. Trescot, Me., Sept. 13, 1837; drowned in Chehalis River, Wash., after saving lives of his wife and three children, Jan. 23, 1894. He resided

- at Oakdale, Wash. He has a large number of descendants.
- (5) Hannah Balch, b. Trescot, Me., Oct. 24, 1839; d. March 17, 1886; m., in Lubec, Me., Feb. 4, 1866, Abner McFadden.
 - (6) Martha Balch McFadden, b. Trescot, Me., Nov. 24, 1866; m., March 1, 1899, Fred M. Fanning.
 - (7) Hilda Grace Fanning, b. July 18, 1901.
 - (6) Lewis Balch McFadden, b. Trescot, Me., Sept. 22, 1869.
 - (6) Mary H. McFadden, b. Trescot, Me., Sept. 19, 1871.
 - (5) Harriet M. Balch, b. Nov. 4, 1842; resides Pleasantdale, Me.; m., Dec. 6, 1879, Albert Fickett, b. Cape Elizabeth, Me., Dec. 29, 1853; farmer; son of Eben Fickett and Martha ———.
 - (5) Mary Susan Balch, b. Trescot, Me., April 4, 1845; d. Jan. 7, 1873.
 - (5) Albert Benjamin Balch, b. Lubec, Me., Oct. 11, 1848; resides Idaho; for a number of years he taught in, and superintended the schools of, Chehalis, Wash.; then in real estate business.

CHAPTER V.

The fifth child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Olive Merryman, b. 1774; d. Aug. 7, 1851; m., June 7, 1808, Ebenezer Durgan, who d. Nov. 1, 1852. This family resided on Birch Island.
- (4) John Durgan, b. Dec. 23, 1808; d. April, 1900; ship carpenter; m. Mrs. Margaret (Miller) Merryman, widow of Martin Merryman.
- (5) Ebenezer Durgan, b. Sept. 20, 1835; d. Jan. 20, 1847.
- (5) Olive M. Durgan, b. Sept. 20, 1835; d. Oct. 3, 1854; m., Jan. 25, 1853, Arthur R. Sinnett of Orr's Island, Me., b. May. 29, 1829; no children.
- (5) John Edwin Durgan, b. Aug. 14, 1837.
- (5) Lydia Ann Morrison Durgan, b. Dec. 23, 1840; m., Nov. 23, 1865, Capt. Edward T. Farr of Orr's Island, Me.
- (6) Ernest S. Farr, b. Sept. 18, 1867.
- (5) Mary Eaton Durgan, b. May 23, 1844; d. June 21, 1847.
- (5) Zachary Taylor Durgan, b. Dec. 4, 1848.
- (4) Timothy Merryman Durgan, b. Dec. 18, 1813; single.
- (4) James Durgan, b. Feb. 25, 1816; m. Sally Alexander, daughter of Ezekiel Alexander.

- (5) Paul A. Durgan, b. July 18, 1836; m. Florilla R. Knapp of Livermore, Me.
- (6) Elford Durgan, b. July 9, 1870.
- (6) Charles R. Durgan, b. Oct. 1, 1877.
- (6) Archie J. Durgan, b. Sept. 12, 1889.
- (5) Ezekiel Durgan, b. Oct. 25, 1838.
- (5) James Durgan, b. May 9, 1841.
- (5) Henry M. Durgan, b. Dec. 27, 1843; d. June 13, 1844.
- (5) Peleg Durgan, b. Feb. 3, 1846.
- (5) Samuel Durgan, b. Jan. 13, 1848.

CHAPTER VI.

The sixth child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Capt. Nathaniel Merryman, b. April 22, 1776; d. April 10, 1819; sea captain and farmer; m., Jan. 12, 1803, Polly Merryman³, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 11, 1782; d. May 20, 1867; daughter of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.
- (4) Almira Merryman, b. Sept. 14, 1804; d. Feb. 6, 1882; single.
- (4) Mary Merryman, d. young.
- (4) Hannah Merryman, m. John Wade; lived South Thomaston, Me.; no children.
- (4) Lydia Merryman, m. Capt. Oliver Gray; lived South Thomaston, Me.
- (5) The children, Olive and John, are deceased.
- (4) Nathaniel Merryman, b. Oct. 28, 1808; d. Nov. 6, 1867; resided South Thomaston, Me.; m. Eliza J. Haskell.
- (5) Mary Ann; Myra; Mary Jane.
- (4) John Merryman, b. Aug. 8, 1811; d. March 20, 1859; farmer at Owl's Head, Me.; m., July 5, 1836, Deborah Spring, b. July 5, 1800; d. Camden, Me., Jan. 1, 1887; daughter of Thomas Spring and Hannah Dunbar.
- (5) Frances Louisa Merryman, b. July 1, 1837; resides Camden, Me.; m., June 4, 1870, Jeremiah Hall, b. Lincolnville, Me., 1824; farmer; son of Hezekiah Hall and Mary Fernald.
- (5) William W. Merryman, b. Jan. 8, 1841; d. Dec. 7, 1901; fisherman at Owl's Head, Me.; m., Oct. 11, 1861, Ellen C. Arey, b. Owl's Head, Me., Sept. 20, 1841; daughter of James Arey and Mary ———.
- (6) Capt. John W. Merryman, b. Nov. 2, 1862; m. Mary E. Leonard.
- (6) Ivan Merryman, b. Dec. 24, 1863; carpenter at South Thomaston, Me.

- (5) Lydia Merryman, b. Nov. 18, 1843; resides Norridgewock, Me.; m., May 21, 1862, James Campbell of Bowdoinham, Me.; farmer.
- (6) Fred G. Campbell, b. May 24, 1863; farmer; m., May, 1896, Mrs. Flora McSola.
- (7) Three children.
- (6) Albertina Campbell, b. May 9, 1866; m., May 2, 1886, Alvin Huff of Fairfield, Me.; farmer.
- (7) Eight children.
- (6) Cecil Campbell, b. March 29, 1871; m., Feb., 1899, Mrs. Annie Conkling of Bangor, Me.
- (5) Isaac Wallace Merryman, b. South Thomaston, Me., Nov. 18, 1843; d. April 13, 1890; sailor and farmer; m. Amanda Malvina Libby, b. Carmel, Me., Feb. 7, 1838; d. Feb. 5, 1892.
- (6) Sidney Merryman, b. July 7, 1867; d. Jan. 4, 1888.
- (6) Nettie Merryman, b. Carmel, Me., Oct. 16, 1872; m., Jan. 23, 1897, Clifford Ashley Knapp, b. Kingfield, Me., Aug. 7, 1872; farmer; son of Albion P. Knapp and Lucinda B. Phillips.
- (7) Sidney Walter Knapp, b. July 29, 1899.
- (5) Louisa W. Merryman, b. May 18, 1847; d. April 5, 1882.
- (5) Helena H. Merryman, b. Owl's Head, Me., March 15, 1849; resides Pittsfield, Me.; m., Nov. 14, 1870, Jefferson C. Humphrey, b. Pittsfield, Me., Sept. 12, 1848; manufacturer of shovel handles; son of Silas Humphrey and Dolly Chase.
- (6) Vernon B. Humphrey, b. Dec. 19, 1871; d. July 25, 1894.
- (6) Sydney P. Humphrey, b. Nov. 27, 1873; graduated from Maine Central Institute, 1892; paper hanger and decorator; m., May 16, 1899, Ella M. Holt of Clinton, Me.
- (6) Elias Humphrey, b. May 7, 1874; d. July 22, 1876.
- (6) Walter J. Humphrey, b. Nov. 20, 1875; farmer; graduated from Maine Central Institute, 1893; m., May 8, 1897, Bertha C. Bragg of Pittsfield, Me.
- (7) Vernon Humphrey, b. Aug. 9, 1898.
- (7) Ellen J. Humphrey, b. June 13, 1901.
- (6) Louise H. Humphrey, b. Dec. 25, 1877; m., May 14, 1898, Leroy P. White, b. Pittsfield, Me., Nov. 14, 1878.
- (6) Ethel F. Humphrey, b. Sept. 11, 1880; teacher; graduated from Maine Central Institute, 1899.

- (6) Frank L. Humphrey, b. Dec. 29, 1883.
- (6) La Forest J. Humphrey, b. Sept. 2, 1886.
- (6) Justin C. Humphrey, b. Aug. 26, 1889.
- (4) Joel Merryman; deceased; single.
- (4) Fannie Merryman, b. Oct. 12, 1817; d. Owl's Head, Me., Aug. 5, 1893. She was for many years a most faithful member of the First Baptist Church; m., as his second wife, Johnson Pillsbury of South Thomaston, Me.
- (4) Jacob Merryman, b. Aug. 25, 1819; d. Aug. 23, 1896; farmer at South Thomaston, Me.; m., Dec. 13, 1868, Nancy Merryman⁴, b. May 14, 1839; daughter of James Merryman³ and Lois Miller.
- (5) George B. Merryman, b. Aug. 31, 1869.
- (5) Mary Merryman, b. Sept. 17, 1870; d. Oct. 3, 1876.
- (5) Cora F. Merryman, b. Feb. 13, 1872.

CHAPTER VII.

The seventh child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) James Merryman, b. 1779; d. March 16, 1872; m., Sept. 11, 1834, Lois Miller, who d. Nov. 11, 1857 (56y., 2m.).
- (4) James Merryman, b. Feb. 9, 1836; a superintendent of bridge building, etc.; m. Valera Murch.
- (4) Nancy Merryman, b. May 14, 1839. (See above.)
- (4) Hugh Merryman, b. Oct. 31, 1841; lost on the steamer *Portland*, Nov. 27, 1898; fireman for 13 years; m., Nov. 21, 1876, Malvina Brundy.
- (5) Warren Merryman, b. Oct. 23, 1877.
- (4) Ellen Merryman, b. 1843; m. Frank Lewis of Deering, Me.
- (5) Grace Lewis, m. Lewis Waterhouse.
- (5) Nora Lewis.
- (4) George C. Merryman; resides Cumberland Mills, Me.; m. (first), Isabella Robbins; m. (second), Sarah Grimes.

CHAPTER VIII.

The eighth child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

- (3) Bethiah Sprague Merryman, b. Aug. 14, 1782; d. June 22, 1843; m., April 29, 1810, Capt. John Orr Skolfield³, b. Oct. 5, 1785; d. June 1, 1845; son of Thomas Skolfield², Jr., and Ann Anderson.

- (4) Caroline Skolfield, b. Freeport, Me., April 25, 1811; d. May 28, 1858; m., Dec., 1829, George Chase, b. Freeport, Me., 1803; d. 1858; son of William Chase and Alice Anderson; m. (second), Oct. 11, 1842, Ebenezer Hill of Great Chebeague Island, Me., who d. Feb. 23, 1876; son of Ebenezer Hill and Lucy Hamilton.

Children of first husband:

- (5) Susan Merryman Chase, b. Freeport, Me., Nov. 18, 1831; m., Nov. 27, 1850, Elias Ross, b. Great Chebeague Island, Me., July 1, 1827; farmer; son of Samuel Ross and Susan ———.
- (6) George Chase Ross, b. June 7, 1851; m. (first), Emma Thompson, who d. May 27, 1878 (22y., 6m.); m. (second), July 4, 1885, Mrs. Isabella (Johnson) Bryan.
- (5) Lavina Albertina Chase, b. Oct. 31, 1833; resides Portland, Me.; m., Dec. 19, 1850, Capt. Isaac Hamilton, b. Great Chebeague, Me., Feb. 24, 1827; d. April 15, 1885; son of John Hamilton and May Henley.
- (6) May Albertina Hamilton, b. Jan. 10, 1852; d. April 24, 1862.
- (6) Julia Estelle Hamilton, b. Sept. 2, 1854; m. (first), Dec. 20, 1870, Parker Beckwith, b. East Lyme, Ct., Feb. 5, 1848; merchant; m. (second), May 5, 1894, William H. Bush, b. July 28, 1862; mechanic; son of William P. Bush and Laura ———.

Children of first husband:

- (7) Minnie Emma Beckwith, b. March 10, 1874; resides Niantic, Ct.; m., June 6, 1895, Samuel Rogers, Jr., bookkeeper.
- (8) Benjamin Rogers, b. March 17, 1896.
- (7) Albert Parker Beckwith, b. Nov. 12, 1877; resides Irvington, Ct.
- (6) Flora Hamilton, b. July 2, 1860; d. April 17, 1862.
- (6) Flora A. Hamilton, b. May 9, 1863; resides Portland, Me.; m., Oct. 29, 1890, Edwin Arthur Boothby, b. Scarboro, Me.; civil engineer, Maine Central Railroad.
- (7) Ralph Hamilton Boothby, b. Aug. 27, 1891.
- (7) Ethel Carlton Boothby, b. Sept. 12, 1893.
- (7) Isaac Raymond Boothby, b. Dec. 18, 1895.
- (7) Edwin Warren Boothby, b. Aug. 6, 1898.
- (7) Ronald Waterhouse Boothby, b. Oct. 29, 1900.
- (6) Leona Hamilton, b. Aug. 13, 1865; resides Portland, Me.; m., Nov. 24, 1886, Oakley Chester Curtiss, b.

Portland, Me., May 29, 1865; manager of Randall & McAllister Coal Company.

- (7) Leona Hamilton Curtiss, b. Sept. 14, 1887.
- (7) Edgar Atherton Curtiss, b. Aug. 17, 1890.
- (7) Elizabeth Curtiss, b. Sept. 10, 1892.
- (7) Marjorie Chase Curtiss, b. Oct. 15, 1891.
- (6) Arthur Isaac Hamilton, b. March 22, 1868; manager of the W. L. Douglas Shoe Company, Portland, Me.; m., Sept. 6, 1893, Annabelle Pauline Howard, b. Portland, Me., Sept. 23, 1875.
- (7) Virginia Alberta Hamilton, b. Oct. 25, 1895.
- (7) Franklin Howard Hamilton, b. May 1, 1900.
- (6) Edgar Orr Hamilton, b. June 8, 1872; d. March 22, 1888.

Children of second husband:

- (5) Lucy Ann Hill, b. March 20, 1848; resides Great Chebeague Island, Me.; m., Dec. 13, 1865, Francis S. Hamilton, b. Great Chebeague, March 23, 1844; merchant; son of Solomon Hamilton and Mary Jane Littlefield.
- (6) Horace Bradford Hamilton, b. Jan., 1867; d. Feb. 3, 1876.
- (6) Carrie Evelyn Hamilton, b. 1868; d. Feb. 4, 1876.
- (6) Herman Webber Hamilton, b. Dec. 26, 1871; m., Jan. 5, 1892, Frances Anna Thompson, b. Oct. 17, 1874.
- (7) Irving Oscar Hamilton, b. April 23, 1893.
- (7) Evelyn F. Hamilton, b. Sept. 12, 1894.
- (7) Pearl S. Hamilton, b. Jan. 28, 1896.
- (7) Leona A. Hamilton, b. Nov. 12, 1897.
- (6) Francis Clifton Hamilton, b. 1873; d. Feb. 19, 1876.
- (6) Florence Vivian Hamilton, b. March 27, 1876; m. Edward Clifton Webber of Great Chebeague Island, Me.
- (6) Clarence Vernon Hamilton, b. March 27, 1876.
- (6) Georgia Townley Hamilton, b. Jan. 8, 1886.
- (5) May Caroline Hill, b. April 13, 1851.
- (4) Susan L. Skolfield, b. June 7, 1813; d. Oct. 7, 1828.
- (4) Bethiah Sprague Skolfield, b. Birch Island, Harpswell, Me., Aug. 22, 1815; d. May 9, 1886; m. (first), Oct. 26, 1843, Hugh Scott, b. Greenock, Scotland; d. May 18, 1847 (26y.); lost at sea; a noble young man, beloved by all; m. (second), Nov. 12, 1849, John Millett Hunt of Gray, Me., who d. at Deering, Me., March 19, 1880 (65 y.).

Children of first husband:

- (5) Bethiah Frances Scott, b. Aug. 26, 1844; resides Portland, Me.; of great help in this history; m., June 27, 1867, Albert Shedd Way, b. Gorham, Me., Aug. 22, 1845;

d. April 22, 1877. He was foreman at the John W. Perkins Company's wholesale drug store; son of Christopher Way and Sarah Shedd.

(6) Henry Woodman Way, b. June 21, 1868.

(6) Edna Titcomb Way, b. July 24, 1870.

(6) Albert Scott Way, b. Aug. 14, 1873.

(5) John Skolfield Scott, b. Great Chebeague Island, Me., June 27, 1845; d. June 1, 1881; m. Nellie M. Turner of Otisfield, Me., who d. Jan. 30, 1889; farmer.

Children of second husband:

(5) Eben Hill Hunt, b. Dec. 19, 1850; d. Oct. 12, 1851.

(5) Lewis Robinson Hunt, b. June 11, 1853; merchant at Cornish, Me.; m. (first), Ellen Rutherford; m. (second), Nellie Boston.

Child of first wife:

(6) Child, d. in infancy.

(6) Walter Lewis Hunt, d. July 30, 1880 (7 weeks).

(4) Mary W. Skolfield, b. Aug. 5, 1818; d. Aug. 23, 1867; m. (first), Dec. 4, 1843, Joseph Webber, who d. Feb. 21, 1874 (28y., 5m.); m. (second), Levi Dakin of North Jay, Me., who d. 1898.

Child of first husband:

(5) Amelia Thompson Webber, b. 1846; d. Feb. 1, 1866.

CHAPTER IX.

The ninth child of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey.

(3) Sally Merryman, b. 1784; m., Oct. 3, 1803, Capt. David Douglass, b. Harpswell, Me., Jan. 22, 1783; son of Israel Douglass and Mary Rodick.

(4) Clarissa Douglass, b. Dec. 29, 1803; m., Feb. 28, 1828, Robert Merryman⁺, b. Sept. 15, 1803. (See records, pp. 33-34.)

(4) Harrison Douglass, b. Aug. 15, 1805; d. 1807.

(4) Jane Douglass, b. Jan. 15, 1809; d. Oct. 1, 1852; m., Aug. 5, 1833, Nehemiah Curtiss, Jr., b. Aug. 18, 1807; son of Nehemiah Curtiss and Jane Alexander. See Curtiss Genealogy.

(4) Mary Douglass, b. Oct. 10, 1841; m. John Steel and resided Bowdoin, Me.

(5) Child, d. young.

(4) Delight Douglass, b. June 30, 1813; m., Dec. 10, 1832, Samuel Longley, b. Aug. 30, 1813; farmer at Greene, Me.

- (5) Thomas Henry Longley, b. May 28, 1834; resides Lewiston, Me.; m. Eleanor Skinner.
- (5) Sarah Jane Longley, b. Aug. 20, 1837; resides Greene, Me.; m. John H. Hodgkins.
- (5) William Edward Longley, b. July 25, 1839; farmer in Greene, Me.; m. Augusta Thompson.
- (5) George Earl Longley, b. July 21, 1841; d. April, 1875; farmer in Greene, Me.; m. Susan Thompson.
- (5) Esther Ann Longley, b. April 30, 1847; resides Greene, Me.; m. Wilber F. Mower.

SECTION THIRD.

Records of the third son of Ancestor Walter Merryman¹.

- (2) Walter Merryman, Jr., b. Harpswell, Me.; d. Bowdoin, Me.; m., Feb. 14, 1771, Betsy Webber⁵, b. 1750; daughter of Benjamin Webber⁴ and Sarah Strout; granddaughter of Waitstill Webber³ and Meribah Hutchins.

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- (3) James Merryman, b. June 30, 1771; d. Nov. 17, 1800; said to have m., Jan. 24, 1794, Mary Barnes of Harpswell, Me.

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- (3) Samuel Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 27, 1773; d. Litchfield, Me., Aug. 24, 1834; m., April 9, 1791, Sarah J. Rodick, b. Harpswell, Me., March 24, 1773; d. Litchfield, Me., Sept. 20, 1852; daughter of John Rodick of Harpswell, Me., and Mary Webber, daughter of Waitstill Webber and Meribah Hutchins. He moved to Litchfield, Me., in 1812.

- (4) Lucy Merryman, b. Jan. 23, 1792; d. Litchfield, Me., Aug. 8, 1832; m., Jan. 26, 1821, Jabez Springer³, b. Litchfield, Me., Aug. 15, 1798; d. Richmond, Me., June 29, 1851; son of James Springer² and Betsy Harvey of Amesbury, Mass., and grandson of David Springer¹ and ——— Tibbetts.

- (5) Harriet N. Springer, b. Litchfield, Me., April 3, 1822; d. Feb. 16, 1901; m., Jan. 1, 1845, Ambrose S. Tibbetts, b. Boothbay, Me., Jan. 1, 1845; d. July 14, 1895; sailor and shipbuilder; lived quite a while at Green Bay, Wis.; son of Mark Tibbetts and Anna ———.

- (6) Harriet A. Tibbetts, b. Nov. 10, 1845; m. (first), in Hortonville, Wis., Joseph E. True, who d. in the Civil War; m. (second), May 5, 1868, Capt. Lewis M. Soyer of Oconto, Wis.

Child of first husband:

- (7) Oscar True, b. Sept. 21, 1863.

Child of second husband:

- (7) Hattie Soyer, b. July 10, 1869; d. Sept. 30, 1878.
 (6) Martha Louisa Tibbetts, b. Richmond, Me., Sept. 25, 1847; d. Sept. 22, 1848.
 (6) Laura Tibbetts, b. Richmond, Me., Aug. 25, 1849; d. March 3, 1888; m. (first), Feb. 28, 1870, Joseph Gonion of Green Bay, Wis.; m. (second), D. Cleveland of Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

Children of first husband:

- (7) Oscar Gonion, b. June 24, 1872.
 (7) Hattie Gonion, b. March 2, 1875.
 (7) Cora Gonion, b. June 17, 1878.
 (7) Orvis Gonion, b. Feb. 12, 1880.
 (6) Deziah Brown Tibbetts, b. Richmond, Me., Sept. 29, 1851; resides Wells, Mich.; m., June 9, 1869, Watson S. Hall, b. Aroostook County, Me., 1846.
 (7) Harriet Viola Hall, b. July 23, 1870; resides Wausaukee, Wis.; m., 1892, Frank Lucia.
 (8) Irma Lucia, b. 1893.
 (8) Florence Lucia, b. 1895.
 (8) Harold Lucia, b. 1899.
 (8) Alice Lucia, b. 1901.
 (7) George Hall, b. July 12, 1873; lumber dealer; m., 1898, Anna Steckel, who d. 1901.
 (8) Edward Leslie Hall, b. 1899.
 (7) Josephine Hall, b. 1876; d. 1877.
 (7) Myrtle Hall, b. June 1, 1889.
 (7) Mabel Hall, b. 1892; d. 1893.
 (6) Louisa Tibbetts, b. Richmond, Me., April 21, 1856.
 (6) George B. McLellan Tibbetts, b. Hortonville, Wis., Feb. 10, 1863; d. Sept. 27, 1879.
 (6) Benjamin Franklin Tibbetts, b. Red River, Wis., Jan. 27, 1866; shipbuilder; m., June 7, 1893, Cena Hansen, b. Owego, Wis., Nov. 11, 1870.
 (7) George Herald Tibbetts, b. May 3, 1894.
 (7) Amy Cecilia Tibbetts, b. Sept. 19, 1897.
 (7) Fay Tibbetts, b. March 17, 1901.
 (5) Betsy Springer, b. Litchfield, Me., Sept. 12, 1825; d. Richmond, Me., Oct. 5, 1841; single.
 (5) Susannah C. Springer, b. Gardiner, Me., June 4, 1829; d. Jan. 21, 1855; m. Cornelius T. Guabert, who d. May 7, 1861.
 (6) Annie M. Guabert.

- (5) Lucy Springer, b. Litchfield, Me., Aug. 6, 1832; d. Rolinsford, N. H., Oct., 1866; m. William Clements of New Hampshire.

- (6) Eva Lucy Clements.

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- (4) Betsy Merryman, b. Oct. 29, 1793; d. April 24, 1819; m., Jan. 9, 1812, George Douglass, b. Harpswell, Me., May 15, 1787; d. Jan., 1821; farmer; moved to Litchfield; son of Israel Douglass and Mary Rodick.

- (5) William Douglass, b. Oct. 27, 1812; d. Oct. 6, 1839; farmer; m. Hannah Richardson, b. April 8, 1818; d. Ayer, Mass., April 8, 1868.

- (5) Hannah Douglass, b. Oct. 15, 1814; d. Freeport, Me.; single.

- (5) David Douglass, b. Nov. 15, 1816; d. Litchfield, Me., May 12, 1840; single.

- (5) Sarah Douglass, b. Dec. 25, 1818; d. Freeport, Me.; single.

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- (4) Mary Merryman, b. Aug. 14, 1795; d. Litchfield, Me., Feb. 18, 1869; m. (first), Dec. 21, 1820, George Douglass (see above); m. (second), Oct. 20, 1848, Capt. James Rodick, b. ———; d. Freeport, Me., Oct. 20, 1848; no children.

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- (4) David Merryman, b. May 8, 1798; d. May 10, 1798.

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- (4) Walter Merryman, b. June 13, 1809; d. Nov. 30, 1843 (34y.); lived on his father's farm at Litchfield, Me.; m., May 24, 1835, Eliza N. Richardson, b. Litchfield, Me., Oct. 1, 1816; d. April 1, 1891; daughter of Thomas Richardson and Mary S. Pierce.

- (5) Sarah Jane Merryman, b. June 20, 1836; resides Richmond, Me.; m., Aug. 23, 1855, Asa Moore, b. Litchfield, Me., Nov. 13, 1835; a mason; son of Nehemiah Moore and Betsy Spear.

- (6) Sarah Eliza Moore, b. June 7, 1856; resides Holyoke, Mass.; m. (first), Oct. 1, 1879, Fred Lawrence; m. (second), Aug., 1888, Leroy Bishop, a contractor.

- (7) Ruth M. Bishop, b. Sept. 25, 1891.

- (6) Emma Jane Moore, b. Dec. 6, 1857; resides Richmond, Me.; m. A. A. Spear, a shoemaker.

- (6) Charles W. Moore, b. Aug. 10, 1860.

- (6) Carrie T. Moore, b. May 9, 1863; resides Gardiner, Me.; m., Nov. 26, 1882, William Brown, b. Gardiner, Me., June 10, 1860.
- (6) William W. Moore, b. April 26, 1865; resides Gardiner, Me.; m., July 3, 1885, Mabel Walker.
- (7) George Walker Moore, b. Sept. 23, 1891.
- (6) Louisa A. Moore, b. Aug. 30, 1867; resides Litchfield, Me.
- (6) Frederick U. Moore, b. Feb. 10, 1870; farmer at Richmond, Me.
- (6) Leila E. Moore, b. July 28, 1872; resides Holyoke, Mass.; m. May 23, 1893, Oscar Ferry, editor.
- (7) Gertrude Ferry, b. Jan. 1, 1896.
- (5) William F. Merryman, b. June 21, 1839; resides Litchfield Plains, Me.; farmer; m., Nov. 25, 1862, Luetta A. Springer^d, b. Litchfield, Me., Aug. 7, 1838; daughter of Thomas Harvey Springer³ and Sarah Huntington.
- (6) Mary Merryman, b. Jan. 28, 1863.
- (5) Mary Elizabeth Merryman, b. March 24, 1841.
- (5) Samuel Merryman, b. Oct. 20, 1842; d. Nov. 10, 1844.
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- (3) Sarah Merryman, b. Nov. 7, 1775; d. Bowdoin, Me.; m., April 10, 1794, Michael Doyle.
- (4) Elisha Doyle, b. Dec. 26, 1797; m. Content Haynes, b. Aug. 8, 1800; d. Nov. 18, 1875; daughter of David Haynes and Anna Thompson.
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- (4) Nancy Doyle, b. July 2, 1798; m. Isaac Alexander.
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- (4) Susanna Doyle, b. Nov. 13, 1800; d. May 27, 1805.
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- (4) Margaret Doyle, b. April 18, 1802; m. Steven Potter of Bowdoin, Me.
- (5) Martha Jane Potter.
- (5) Daniel Potter.
- (5) Emery Potter.
- (5) Albert Potter.
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- (4) James Doyle, b. March 26, 1805; d. April 4, 1864; farmer in Bowdoin, Me.; m. Elizabeth Chick, b. March 18, 1815; d. Nov. 3, 1889; daughter of Jonathan Chick of Litchfield, Me.

- (5) George Doyle, b. Nov. 3, 1836; resides Lynn, Mass.; m. Melissa Hopkins.
- (5) Elizabeth Doyle, b. Feb. 19, 1839; resides Lewiston, Me.; m., Dec. 5, 1858, Henry A. Huntington, b. Lewiston, Me., June 11, 1839.
- (6) Charles Huntington, b. Oct. 12, 1863; d. Jan. 7, 1900; machinist.
- (6) Frank Huntington, b. Nov. 2, 1866; d. Jan. 3, 1875.
- (6) Nellie Huntington, b. April 23, 1872; m., May 1, 1891, George York, b. Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 22, 1864.
- (7) Frank York, b. June 5, 1894.
- (7) Grace York, b. Aug. 9, 1898.
- (7) Henry York, b. Jan. 21, 1900.
- (5) James Holman Doyle, b. 1841; d. Dec. 4, 1847.
- (5) Joshua Doyle, b. July 11, 1843; farmer.
- (5) Charles Doyle, b. Jan. 19, 1846; resides Bowdoin, Me.
- (5) Jennie Doyle, b. Sept. 16, 1849; resides Bowdoin, Me.
- (5) Angie Doyle, b. Aug. 3, 1851; m. Charles Dale of Richmond, Me.
- (6) Bert Dale.
- (6) Edith Dale.
- (5) Georgia Ann Doyle, b. May 30, 1856; d. Oct. 31, 1867.
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- (4) Michael Doyle, b. July 3, 1806; m. Adaline Miller of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Elisha Doyle.
- (5) Nancy Doyle.
- (5) George Doyle.
- (5) Llewellyn Doyle.
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- (4) Susanna Doyle, b. Dec. 11, 1808; single.
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- (4) Abizer Doyle, b. June 2, 1810; m. Hannah Bibber.
- (5) Sarah Jane Doyle.
- (5) Hattie Doyle.
- (5) Martha Doyle.
- (5) William Doyle.
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- (4) Rosannah Doyle, b. Oct. 3, 1816; m. John Miller of Brunswick, Me.
- (5) Samuel Miller, b. Aug. 30, 1840; d. July 9, 1844.
- (5) William Miller, b. Dec. 24, 1843; m. Sophia Stover.

- (6) William Miller, Jr.
 (5) Sarah Miller, b. 1846.
 (5) Martha Frances Miller, b. May 30, 1851.
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- (3) Miriam Merryman, b. April 16, 1776; d. Feb. 28, 1863; m.,
 Dec. 6, 1796, John Curtiss, b. Jan. 15, 1772; d. 1821; son of
 Michael Curtiss and Bathsheba Barstow. (See Curtiss
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- (3) Waitstill Merryman, b. Jan. 1, 1778; d. March 4, 1853; m.,
 Dec. 23, 1800, Eunice Hall, b. 1777; d. Sept. 12, 1843;
 daughter of John Hall.
- (4) Elizabeth Merryman, b. Nov. 13, 1802; d. May 14, 1803.
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- (4) Elizabeth Merryman, b. Jan. 28, 1803; d. Sept. 15, 1847.
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- (4) Mary Merryman, b. 1805; m. Alfred Curtiss, b. Jan. 4, 1807;
 d. 1878; son of Barstow Curtiss and Ruth Merryman.
- (5) Waitstill Curtiss.
 (5) Vandorus Curtiss.
 (5) Mary Elizabeth Curtiss.
 (5) Anna E. Curtiss.
 (5) Child, d. young. All the children deceased.
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- (4) Mercy Merryman, b. 1807; d. Oct. 20, 1887; m. Dominicus
 Jordan, b. Jan. 22, 1797; d. June 25, 1848.
- (5) Mary Jordan, b. Oct. 15, 1829; d. Bath, Me.; m. (first),
 John Thomas; m. (second), Horace Curtiss.
- (5) Samuel S. Jordan, b. Jan. 2, 1831; resides Bath, Me.;
 m., Nov. 17, 1853, Affie Coombs of Bath, Me.
- (6) Six children, one of whom d. in infancy.
- (5) John Jordan, b. June 13, 1832; m. Lizzie O'Neal of Bath,
 Me.
- (6) Samuel C. T. Jordan, b. 1857; married.
- (6) Jennie Jordan, b. 1861; m. ——— Fisher.
- (6) John Jordan, b. 1865; m. ———.
- (5) Mary Ellen Jordan, b. Aug. 10, 1836; m., Nov. 2, 1856,
 Abizer Holbrook, b. Sept. 16, 1835; d. Bath, Me., Jan.,
 1891; lived long at East Harpswell, Me.

- (6) James McKeen Holbrook, b. Sept. 8, 1858; m., Nov. 27, 1880, Hattie L. Johnson.
- (6) William H. Holbrook, b. 1860; resides Bath, Me.
- (7) Three children.
- (6) Gertrude Holbrook, b. 1862; m. Albert Russell of Bath, Me.
- (7) Four daughters.
- (6) Horace Curtiss Holbrook, b. April 8, 1867; resides Brunswick, Me.; m. Bina Mann.
- (7) Frank Holbrook.
- (6) Samuel S. Holbrook, b. 1872; resides Bath, Me.
- (5) William Barnes Jordan, b. Jan. 12, 1838; m., March 20, 1864, Sarah J. Slater of Newton, Ia.
- (6) William A. Jordan, b. 1866.
- (6) Ruth Jordan, b. 1868.
- (6) Arthur Jordan, b. 1870.
- (6) Mary Jordan, b. 1871.
- (6) Thomas Jordan.
- (6) Harry Jordan, d. young.
- (6) John Jordan.

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- (4) Celia Merryman, b. April 15, 1810; d. Dec. 27, 1880; m., July 8, 1832, Capt. John Martin, b. July 16, 1806; d. Mobile, Ala., Oct. 24, 1847; son of Capt. Matthew Martin and Rebecca Skolfield.
- (5) Rebecca Martin, b. Feb. 23, 1834; d. Sept., 1843.

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- (4) Eunice Merryman, b. June 18, 1812; d. Jan. 28, 1844.

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- (4) Jordan Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 29, 1813; d. Monmouth, Me., Aug. 11, 1886; farmer at Wales and Monmouth, Me.; m., Dec. 17, 1843, Hannah Jenkins, b. March 29, 1823; d. April 1, 1883; daughter of Philip Jenkins and Keziah ———.
- (5) Vesta Ann Merryman, b. Oct. 24, 1848; d. April 21, 1899; m. ——— Washburne.
- (5) Waitstill Gaylord Merryman, b. Wales, Me., July 23, 1849; farmer at Monmouth, Me.; m., Jan. 1, 1877, Mary Elizabeth Moore, b. July 22, 1853.

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- (4) Nancy Merryman, b. Oct. 15, 1815; resides Topsham, Me.; m., Oct. 14, 1837, Stanwood Alexander, b. April 9, 1812.

- (5) Joseph Ruffle Alexander, b. July 6, 1838; m. (first), May 15, 1860, Mary Emma Ward of Minneapolis, Minn; m. (second), May 5, 1865, Hannah Abigail Thompson, b. Topsham, Me.

Children of first wife:

(6) Nettie Alexander, b. Feb. 15, 1861.

(6) William Ulmer Alexander, b. 1863; d. in infancy.

Children of second wife:

(6) Alice Thompson Alexander, b. Feb. 27, 1866.

(6) Lena Estelle Alexander, b. Dec. 18, 1868; m., 1889, James S. Dexter of East Boston, Mass.

(7) Philip Stanley Dexter.

(7) Helen Alice Dexter.

(5) William Stanwood Alexander, b. June 18, 1844; m. Melissa Moore of Boston, Mass.; no children.

(5) John Alexander, b. Oct. 15, 1848; m., Jan. 1, 1871, Abbie Boynton of Bath, Me.

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(4) Waitstill Merryman, b. Dec. 31, 1817; d. June 31, 1877; blacksmith at Brunswick, Me.; m. Catherine M. Barker, b. May 11, 1812; d. May 27, 1890.

(5) Annette F. Merryman, b. Aug. 12, 1840; a very successful teacher at Brunswick, Me., and principal of the Grammar School.

(5) George W. Merryman, b. Oct. 30, 1845; d. Nov. 7, 1864.

(5) Emeline C. Merryman, b. March 7, 1847; d. Aug. 12, 1847.

(5) Abbie Estelle Merryman, b. Sept. 25, 1849; d. Jan. 8, 1869.

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(4) John Merryman, b. Feb. 3, 1820; d. May 2, 1889; single.

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(3) Nancy Merryman, b. Jan. 20, 1780; m., Oct. 21, 1800, Samuel Miller.

(4) Stephen Miller and other children.

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(3) Ruth Merryman, b. Oct. 16, 1781; d. Bowdoinham, Me., Jan. 8, 1828; m., Oct. 2, 1802, Barstow Curtiss, who d. Oct. 17, 1808.

(4) Walter Curtiss, b. Feb. 18, 1803.

(4) Almira Curtiss, b. Sept. 16, 1804.

(4) Albert Curtiss, b. June 24, 1807.

(4) Alfred Curtiss, m. Mary Merryman.

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(3) Thomas Merryman, b. Nov. 6, 1783; d. 1853; m., May 27, 1809, Mary Skolfield, b. March, 1791; d. May 10, 1872 (81y., 2m.); daughter of William Skolfield and Sarah Rideout.

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(4) William Merryman, b. Sept. 10, 1810; d. on a man-of-war at Mobile, Ala., when about 40 years old.

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(4) Lavina Merryman, b. Nov. 18, 1812; m. Capt. Benjamin Adams of Bowdoinham, Me., who was lost at sea.

(5) Capt. Benjamin Adams, b. June 7, 1842; resides Bowdoinham, Me.; m. Abbie Cleora Carr, b. Bowdoinham, Me., Jan. 25, 1846; daughter of Hon. Robert Potter Carr and Abigail Theresa Whitmore.

(6) Alice Mabel Adams, b. Nov. 26, 1871; m. Ralph M. Currier of Haverhill, Mass.

(7) Randolph Hollis Currier, b. Aug. 9, 1900.

(6) Robert Carr Adams, b. Dec. 6, 1878; clerk at Haverhill, Mass.

(5) Lavina Adams; m. Robert Purington, shipbuilder.

(5) Alice Adams; m. Capt. Vincent Given. They were both lost at sea.

(5) Augusta Adams; m. Melvin Gardiner and moved to Calais, Me.

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(4) Skolfield Merryman, b. ———; d. April 27, 1846 (29y., 5m.); followed the sea in his early days; then kept a grocery store at Bowdoin, Me.; m., July 21, 1840, Submit Elliott, b. Oct., 1819; d. Dec. 15, 1878; daughter of Capt. Joseph Elliott and Catherine Potter.

(5) Joseph Skolfield Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me., Feb. 6, 1841; d. Nov. 11, 1896; farmer in Bowdoin, Me.; m., Aug. 27, 1870, Etta Allen.

(5) Lavina Merryman, b. July 16, 1842; d. Nov., 1861; m. William Small.

(6) Lillian Small.

(5) Catherine Merryman, b. May 11, 1844; d. June 22, 1868; teacher.

- (5) Mary Ann Merryman, b. Sept. 5, 1845; resides Webster Corner, Me.; m. (first), Jan. 1, 1866, Joseph Sanborn, Jr., b. Westbrook, Me., April 12, 1838; d. Dec. 16, 1874. He kept a fine stock farm. M. (second), Sept. 15, 1875, Frank M. Haley, a farmer of Webster, Me.

Children of first husband:

- (6) Adella May Sanborn, b. April 5, 1867; d. Nov. 21, 1897; m., Jan. 23, 1889, Alvah Mallett of Topsham, Me.
 (7) Ralph A. Mallett, b. Jan. 6, 1892.
 (6) Josie Annie Sanborn, b. Sept. 27, 1868; d. Jan., 1875.
 (6) Belle U. Sanborn, b. June 22, 1870; bookkeeper at Lisbon Falls, Me.
 (6) Willie F. Sanborn, b. Jan. 21, 1872; farmer at Webster, Me.

Children of second husband:

- (6) Bertha May Haley, b. Dec. 4, 1876; teacher.
 (6) Eva Maud Haley, b. Oct. 22, 1878; teacher.

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- (4) Mary Merryman; m. James L. Rogers.

- (5) Angeline Rogers; d. at 11 years.

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- (4) Sewall Merryman, d. at Pt. Petre, Guadeloupe, when about 20 years of age; single.

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- (4) Sarah Merryman, b. Oct. 20, 1822; m. Cornelius Carter of Bowdoin, Me.

- (5) Joseph Skolfield Carter; d. Sept. 17, 1864 (16y., 6m.); soldier in the Civil War.

- (5) William S. Carter, m. Abbie Neal.

- (5) Angeline R. Carter, b. March 4, 1854; a successful teacher.

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- (4) Thomas Merryman; worked on steamer at Mobile, Ala; then went to California.

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- (4) Benjamin Adams Merryman, b. Oct. 21, 1829; a farmer at Bowdoin Center, Me.; followed the sea quite a while; went to California in 1852 and remained two years; m., Nov. 7, 1855, Abbie Eaton Colby, b. Bowdoin, Me., 1829; daughter of Samuel Colby and Mary Rogers.

- (5) Helen Rogers Merryman, b. Jan. 23, 1857; d. March 29, 1889.

- (5) Alice M. Adams Merryman, b. March 15, 1866; d. March 8, 1868.
- (5) Abbie Merryman, b. March 2, 1876; d. Nov. 5, 1877.
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- (4) John Merryman, b. Jan. 8, 1832; d. April 8, 1855.
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- (4) Joseph Merryman, b. July 4, 1834; went West.
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- (3) Rhoda Merryman, b. Jan. 10, 1786; d. Bowdoinham, Me., March 15, 1859 (72y.); m., Aug. 6, 1807, Levi Curtiss, b. 1780; d. Jan. 2, 1849 (69y.); resided Bowdoinham, Me.; son of Michael Curtiss and Bathsheba Barstow.
- (4) Bathsheba Curtiss, b. Feb. 1, 1809; d. Haverhill, Mass., March 25, 1879 (70y. 9m.); single.
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- (4) Capt. Benjamin Curtiss, b. April 26, 1810; d. Nov. 25, 1839 (28y.); followed the sea in early life; single.
- (4) Capt. Frederick Curtiss, b. Aug. 18, 1815; d. Jan. 15, 1870; m. Jane Cornish, b. ———; d. Jan. 17, 1900; daughter of Capt. Elbridge Cornish.
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- (4) Ovington Curtiss, b. Feb. 13, 1817; d. May 22, 1835.
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- (4) Emeline Curtiss, b. June 1, 1822; d. Oct. 16, 1842.
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- (4) Levi Curtiss, b. Jan. 13, 1825; d. Oct. 20, 1892; carpenter; moved to Haverhill, Mass., 1872; m., April 7, 1853, Caroline Thompson, b. Kennebunkport, Me., Dec. 13, 1822; d. April 13, 1893; daughter of Samuel Thompson and Abigail Day.
- (5) Alice Adams Curtiss, b. Jan. 25, 1854; resides 18 Allen Street, Bradford, Mass.; Bowdoinham, Me., district schools; m., Feb. 20, 1875, Abner Russell Wade, b. Sangerville, Me., March 12, 1847; graduated Guilford, Me., High School, 1865; manufacturer of wood heels at Haverhill, Mass.; son of Abner Turner Wade and Sarah Ayer.
- (6) Russell Wade, b. Aug. 25, 1879; d. May 29, 1890.
- (6) Robert Wade, b. Oct. 30, 1882.

- (5) Eugene A. Curtiss, b. March 29, 1857; resides 18 Allen Street, Bradford, Mass.; m., Sept. 19, 1880, Perdita M. Scrimger, b. Gault, Canada, Jan. 11, 1860.
- (6) Eugene A. Curtiss, b. June 21, 1882.
- (6) Annie A. Curtiss, b. Oct. 10, 1884; d. 1891.
- (6) William Curtiss, b. Jan. 25, 1888.
- (6) Caroline Curtiss, b. Aug., 1889.
- (6) Raymond R. Curtiss, b. April, 1897.
- (5) Abbie Curtiss, b. May 28, 1866.

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- (3) Capt. Joseph Merriman (so he spelled the name), b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 23, 1788; lost at sea April, 1834. For some time he was a mariner in the West India trade, taking New England products to Cuba and Jamaica and returning with cargoes of molasses and tropical products. In 1826 he moved to Hartford, Ct., and was in the employ of S. & H. Fowler on Commerce Street. He then was in the employ of S. & W. Kellogg, merchants in the West India trade. He finally sailed for British Guiana, master of the brig *Eight Sons*, and the vessel was never heard from; m., Nov. 29, 1811, Eunice Martin, b. Brunswick, Me., June 9, 1794; d. Sept. 14, 1849; daughter of Capt. Matthew Martin and Rebecca Skolfield.

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- (4) Thirza Merriman, b. April 5, 1813; d. Dec. 19, 1844; m., Oct. 25, 1837, Ferdinand D. Hughes, b. Trenton, N. J., and d. Reading, Pa., Feb. 1, 1883. He resided in Trenton, N. J., Philadelphia, Pa., New York City, Hartford, Ct., Lisbon and Colchester, Ct., Providence, R. I., Beverly, Mass., and Reading, Pa. For many years he was a most efficient overseer in rubber shoe manufactories; son of Owen Donaldson Hughes, b. Armagh, Ireland, and Margaret Davis of Maryland.
- (5) Ferdinand Davis Hughes, b. East Hartford, Ct., Nov. 13, 1838; resides Larimore, N. D.; farming and renting farms on shares; m., Oct. 10, 1861, Abbie Allyn Halsey, b. Windsor, Ct., Sept. 29, 1837; daughter of Henry Allyn Halsey and Frances Maria Ellsworth.
- (6) Alice Maud Hughes, b. July 12, 1862; resides Larimore, N. D.; m., Feb. 18, 1893, Charles Moulton Bryant.
- (7) Arline Helen Bryant, b. Oct. 19, 1894.

- (5) Emily C. Hughes, b. Nov. 25, 1840; resides 308 Clay Street, Reading, Pa.
- (5) Lewis Goodrich Hughes, b. East Hartford, Ct., Dec. 2, 1841; resides Minneapolis, Minn.; merchant, lumberman and insurance agent; m., Oct. 11, 1865, Cornelia Trimble McKnight, b. Troy, N. Y., Dec. 14, 1844; graduated Milwaukee (Wis.) College, 1861; daughter of Lewis McKnight and Elizabeth Wallace Merriitt.

Children born in Milwaukee, Wis.:

- (6) Florence Hughes, b. June 27, 1865; d. June 29, 1867.
- (6) Lewis McKnight Hughes, b. Oct. 12, 1868; resides Helena, Mont.; route agent of Central Division of Northern Pacific Express Co.
- (6) Carrie McKnight Hughes, b. Dec. 8, 1870.
- (6) Ida Louisa Hughes, b. Feb. 5, 1874; d. April 11, 1892.
- (6) Arthur Ferdinand Hughes, b. Duluth, Minn., Oct. 17, 1878; messenger for Pacific Express Co., Pocatello, Idaho.
- (5) Cornelia G. Hughes, b. May 10, 1844; d. Aug. 4, 1844.

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- (4) Joseph Merriman, b. Hartford, Ct., Oct. 27, 1815; d. Sept. 7, 1895. "He got his education in the little temple of learning, removed a generation or more ago, on Market Street, then called Dorr Street, Jesse Olney, pedagogue, and Flavius A. Brown, writing master. His father was lost at sea when he was 18 years old. He started working in a general store for \$25 a year and board. A year later he was employed by Lester Sexton, a Bridge Street clothier, for \$75 a year and board. Mr. Merriman said with a smile, when giving the story of this, 'I've never seen anything since which seemed so large as that \$25.' Mr. Merriman bought out the stock of this last employer, giving notes, and commenced business without capital. He was four years in business before he made a cent. In the next year he made \$1,000 clear of expenses. In 1840 he removed to State Street. Until 1851 he was in the retail clothing business exclusively, and later was in the wholesale clothing business on Asylum Street, Hartford, Ct., also having a store in New York City. He continued in active business until 1873. In the 39 years, when he was in business, Mr. Merriman never asked for the extension of a note or paid less than 100 cents on a dollar. He did this in spite of the panics of 1857 and 1873. In insurance, banking and real estate

business Mr. Merriman often proved the value of his judgment. In 1854 the late Henry Kellogg, in organizing the Phoenix Insurance Company, came early to consult with him, and he was chosen a member of the first board of directors and held that position a long time. Mr. Merriman was for some years a director of the Aetna National Bank. At various times he greatly helped to develop realty in Hartford and East Hartford, and elsewhere. In 1854, when the old Whig party was giving place to the Republican party, Mr. Merriman became interested in politics. When Fremont ran against Buchanan, Mr. Merriman took charge of the campaign in Hartford, conducting meetings in schoolhouses with Joseph P. Hawley and others. In 1864 he was chosen state senator. He was also selectman and town auditor." M. (first), 1838, Eliza Beaumont, who d. soon after; daughter of Levi Beaumont; m. (second), April 10, 1844, Jane Beaumont, b. Aug. 21, 1819; d. Nov. 5, 1873; m. (third), Harriet E. Dennett, who d. in 1889.

Children of the second marriage with Jane Beaumont:

- (5) Frank Beaumont Merriman, b. June 22, 1846; d. April 12, 1897. He was in the clothing business in Hartford, Ct., Milwaukee, Wis., and Chicago, Ill. In the last four years of his life he had a real estate office in Hartford, Ct. His home was in East Hartford; m. Ella C. Elmore, b. Aug. 31, 1846.
- (6) Eugene Howard Merriman, b. Nov. 14, 1868; engaged in the real estate business at East Hartford, Ct.; m., Feb. 14, 1894, Annie Elizabeth Fitch of East Hartford.
- (7) Rena Fitch Merriman, b. Nov. 12, 1894.
- (6) Leila Estelle Merriman, b. May 9, 1871; d. June 8, 1878.
- (6) Joseph Martin Merriman, b. May 5, 1874; d. May 25, 1878.
- (6) Harry Elmer Merriman, b. May 17, 1882.
- (6) Percy Grant Merriman, b. Oct. 25, 1885.
- (6) Philip Wilder Merriman, b. Feb. 11, 1895.
- (5) Joseph Martin Merriman, b. Nov. 1, 1852; d. July 22, 1872.
- (5) Charles Merriman, b. March 20, 1855; resides East Hartford, Ct.; fire insurance agent; m., Jan. 17, 1884, Lizzie A. Rainey, b. East Hartford, Ct., July 26, 1859.
- (6) Joseph Martin Merriman, b. Sept. 8, 1887; d. June 22, 1891.

- (6) Charles Russell Merriman, b. May 29, 1891.
 - (6) Helen Annette Merriman, b. Nov. 24, 1895.
 - (6) Irene Louisa Merriman, b. Nov. 24, 1895.
 - (6) Charlotte Elizabeth Merriman, b. Nov. 28, 1898.
 - (5) Jennie Eliza Merriman, b. Feb. 9, 1860; d. Feb. 15, 1885;
m., Nov. 15, 1881, Rollin K. Ewing; no children.
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- (4) Matthew Martin Merriman, b. June 9, 1823; d. Feb. 16, 1882; was for many years associated with his father in the clothing business; m., March 29, 1845, Cornelia Wilson Griggs, b. Nov. 15, 1825; d. Dec. 29, 1891.
 - (5) Louise Gertrude Merriman, b. Hartford, Ct., Feb. 7, 1846; d. Nov. 21, 1868; graduated from Mrs. Draper's Seminary; m., Feb. 4, 1864, George Darling Bartlett, b. North Adams, Mass., Jan. 9, 1837; resides Hartford, Ct.; in the clothing business.
 - (6) Louise Gertrude Bartlett, b. Hartford, Ct., Nov. 16, 1868; has resided in Hartford, Ct., Waterbury and Waitsford, Vt.; m., Nov. 16, 1892, Dr. George Smith Bidwell, b. Rutland, Vt., Jan. 8, 1865; graduated at Battle Creek, Mich., High School, June, 1883; graduated medical department of the University of Vermont, July, 1890.
 - (7) Lestina Darling Bidwell, b. Waitsford, Vt., March 24, 1898.
 - (7) Pauline Noble Bidwell, b. Waitsford, Vt., July 7, 1900.
 - (5) Emma Griggs Merriman, b. Jan. 6, 1849; resides Hartford, Ct.; m., Sept. 10, 1867, John B. Lambe, a druggist.
 - (6) Cornelia Harriman Lambe, b. June 28, 1868; m., Nov. 18, 1899, Frank E. Beckly.
 - (5) Robert Given Merriman, b. Oct. 22, 1855; resides Hartford, Ct.; passenger conductor for many years on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; m., Oct. 22, 1878, Kate L. Page.
 - (6) Kathryn G. Merriman, b. Nov. 8, 1879.
 - (6) Maude E. Merriman, b. Feb. 28, 1883.
 - (6) Robert G. Merriman, b. March 7, 1886.
 - (6) Frederick D. Merriman, b. July 15, 1888.
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- (3) Benjamin Merriman, b. Feb. 13, 1791; d. Feb. 13, 1865; resided Bowdoin, Me.; m. (first), Sept. 19, 1815, Margaret

Curtiss, b. May 16, 1796; d. May 17, 1853; daughter of Nehemiah Curtiss and Jane Alexander of Harpswell, Me.; m. (second), Mrs. Catherine Grows, *nee* Farr, b. Feb. 14, 1813; d. Jan. 10, 1888; daughter of Henry Farr and Hannah Alexander of Harpswell, Me.

Children of the first marriage:

- (4) William Merriman, b. Bowdoin, Me., July 2, 1833; d. Sept. 23, 1890; resided Harpswell, Brunswick and Freeport, Me.; carpenter; m., June 16, 1860, Delia Ann Bibber, b. Sept. 11, 1839; d. Jan. 28, 1868; daughter of Capt. David Bibber and Amy Bibber.
- (5) Alveda Florence Merriman, b. Aug. 7, 1862; resides West Harpswell, Me.; m., July 7, 1894, Eugene Vincent Merriman², b. Sept. 16, 1878; farmer; son of Nathaniel¹ Merriman and Asenath B. Stover.
- (6) Stanley Virdell Merriman, b. Jan. 28, 1901.
- (5) William Thomas Merriman, b. Jan. 23, 1868; resided South Harpswell, Me.; fisherman; m., Dec. 25, 1895, Nina Clark Wilson, b. May 17, 1874; daughter of Capt. Edmond Wilson and Harriet Stover.
- (6) Amy Bibber Merriman, b. Dec. 19, 1896.
- (6) Herman B. Merriman, b. Jan. 16, 1905; d. Feb. 14, 1905.

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- (4) Margaret A. Merriman, b. 1836; d. June 21, 1893; m. Abraham Johnson Allen, b. July 14, 1828; d. March 13, 1891; daughter of Abraham J. Allen and Hannah Hodgkins.
- (5) Edmund J. Allen, b. Dec. 5, 1854; resides Freeport, Me.; m., March 2, 1887, Millie J. Larrabee, b. Brunswick, Me., Jan. 23, 1856; daughter of John C. Larrabee and Harriet P. ———.
- (6) Harriet M. Allen, b. Aug. 16, 1888.
- (6) Jeannette S. Allen, b. Jan. 10, 1892.
- (5) Clara E. Allen, b. Feb. 9, 1857; m., Nov. 13, 1886, James E. Stilkey, b. Augusta, Me., Aug. 30, 1856; painter; son of Charles Stilkey and May ———.
- (6) Benjamin L. Stilkey, b. Sept. 8, 1888.
- (6) Mary E. Stilkey, b. Sept. 28, 1890.
- (5) Fred C. Allen; resides Portland, Me.; m. Florence E. Welcome.
- (5) Winfield Scott Allen, b. Oct. 10, 1869; m., Jan. 27, 1897, Kate D. Merryman, b. March 24, 1869; daughter of Jacob Henry Merryman and May Webber.

- (5) Weston Lee Allen, b. Jan. 17, 1873; d. Aug. 3, 1896; m., Nov. 14, 1895, Hattie Angelia Farr, b. Nov. 26, 1876; daughter of William King Farr and Phœbe Ella Bibber.

- (5) Henry M. Allen, b. March 2, 1878.

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- (4) Hiram Merriman, b. June 10, 1823; carpenter; resides Brunswick, Me.; m., May 28, 1853, Eliza Ann Allen, b. July 29, 1833.

- (5) Hannah Levina Merriman, b. May 28, 1854; resides Brunswick, Me.; m., May 28, 1888, Joseph Milliken Powers, b. Dresden, Me., Sept. 4, 1844; carpenter.

- (6) Annie Eliza Powers, b. July 15, 1886.

- (5) Octavia Merriman, b. April 21, 1858; d. Feb. 17, 1899. The Brunswick, Me., School Report for 1899 says: "The schools of Brunswick, Me., were much shocked by the death of this beloved teacher. Her service in our schools was briefly as follows: She began as an assistant in the Center Street Primary School in the fall of 1876, and her work there was so good as to obtain a favorable mention in the school report of that year. In the fall of 1877 she was chosen principal of that school. In 1881 she became assistant in the Intermediate School and the very next year was promoted to the Grammar School, where she remained until her death. The impression which she always made of physical strength and vigor made her sudden death all the more startling. It is difficult to sum up her work in a few words but the present generation will need no such summing up. She will remain in the minds of her pupils through life, as an untiring, unselfish, intelligent worker for the highest good."

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- (4) David Merriman, b. June 5, 1828; resides Freeport, Me.; m. May Thorne, of Freeport, Me., b. April 9, 1836; d. March, 1904; no children. He moved to Freeport, Me., in 1885.

SECTION FOURTH.

- (2) James Merryman, son of Ancestor Walter Merryman¹, b. Harpswell, Me., 1756; d. Aug. 4, 1825; m., Dec. 4, 1777, Hannah Blake, b. Harpswell, Me., 1757; d. April 24, 1821; daughter of Jacob Blake and Jenny Webber, daughter of Waitstill Webber and Meribah Hutchins.
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- (3) John Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Jan. 29, 1780; d. May 28, 1857; called Jr. in some of the old town records; m., Dec. 27, 1804, Elizabeth Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 2, 1784; d. Feb. 29, 1852; daughter of Alcott Stover and Elizabeth Allen.
- (4) William Merryman, b. April 3, 1805; d. July 28, 1831; single.
- (4) Asenath Stover Merryman, b. Nov. 24, 1806; d. Oct. 6, 1833; m., Jan. 5, 1826, Hudson Merryman², b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 21, 1799; d. Oct. 17, 1885; son of Michael Merryman² and Mary Bishop.
- (5) Eliza Ann Merryman, b. Aug. 30, 1826; resides Brunswick, Me.; m., Sept. 30, 1852, Alcot Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Sept. 28, 1824; son of Isaac Stover and Sarah Bibber and grandson of Alcot Stover and Elizabeth Allen.
- (6) Flora A. Stover, b. April 29, 1859.
- (5) Lavina Merryman, b. April 30, 1831; d. June 6, 1832.
- (5) Lavina Merryman, b. Feb. 1, 1835; m. Walter Merryman, b. March 15, 1835; d. May 29, 1890; son of Shubal Merriman and Mary Jane Curtiss.
- (6) Dr. Alfred Mitchell Merryman, b. May 1, 1868; graduated at Bowdoin College, 1892; m., at Providence, R. I., Jan. 4, 1899, Frances Raymond Perry, daughter of Maj. Raymond H. Perry; resides Bristol, R. I.
- (6) Lorenzo S. Merriman, b. Dec. 21, 1869; principal of Patten, Me., High School; a very successful teacher.

- (5) George William Merriman, b. Dec. 27, 1836; d. July 12, 1842.
- (5) Silvester S. Merriman, b. Dec. 29, 1840; d. June 23, 1863.
- (5) Isaac Merriman, b. Dec. 29, 1840; d. June 23, 1897; m., Feb. 17, 1875, Susie Orr Skolfield, b. Jan. 20, 1849; d. May 21, 1893; daughter of George Rogers Skolfield and Hannah Frances Milliken.
- (6) Georgia F. Merriman, b. Oct. 9, 1878; m., Sept. 17, 1902, Albion N. Rogers.
- (6) Willis Merriman, b. Dec. 22, 1886.
- (5) George W. Merriman, b. June 9, 1843; m. (first), Hannah Newell of Litchfield, Me., who d. 1878; m. (second), Hannah Alexander.
- (6) Hattie C. Merriman, b. April 28, 1886.
- (5) Frances M. Merriman, b. March 4, 1850; m., Oct. 26, 1894, Paul Curtice Merriman⁵, b. May 22, 1838; son of Isaac Merriman⁴ and Catherine Curtiss.
- (6) Flora Ella Merriman, b. Sept. 7, 1895.
- (4) Isaac Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., May 9, 1809; d. Dec. 8, 1893; farmer at Harpswell, Me.; m., Oct. 6, 1832, Catherine Curtiss, b. Harpswell, Me., March 28, 1809; d. Aug. 9, 1889; daughter of Paul Curtiss and Elizabeth Stover and granddaughter of Paul Curtiss and Deborah Webber.
- (5) Albion Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 4, 1833; mechanic and farmer; has resided for years at Island Falls, Me., where he has been one of the most helpful members of the Congregational Church; m. (first), Jan. 31, 1865, Martha E. Ball, b. Bluehill, Me., Nov. 3, 1834; d. Dec. 27, 1894; daughter of Thomas Ball and Damaris G. Powers; m. (second), Oct. 9, 1901, Mrs. Carrie E. (Armstrong) Bishop, b. Frederickton, N. B., Jan. 1, 1852; daughter of Barnabas Armstrong and Jane Scisson.

Children of the first wife:

- (6) Damaris Merriman, b. Dec. 15, 1866; a fine teacher of schools and music; resides Island Falls, Me.
- (6) Augustus B. Merriman, b. March 3, 1870; resides Island Falls, Me.
- (5) Paul Curtiss Merriman, b. May 22, 1838; m. (first), Oct. 30, 1876, Ella Stoddard, b. West Farmington, Me., 1851; d. Sept. 14, 1886; daughter of Willard Stoddard and Nancy A. Sanborn; m. (second), Oct. 26, 1894, Frances M. Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., March 4,

1850; daughter of Hudson Merriman and Asenath Merriman.

Child of first wife:

- (6) Roy E. Merriman, b. Aug. 6, 1880; resides West Harpswell, Me.

Child of second wife:

- (6) (Flora) Ella Merriman, b. Sept. 7, 1895.
- (5) Harmon Curtiss Merriman, b. Aug. 6, 1845; farmer; m. Viola A. Rogers.
- (4) George Merriman, b. Feb. 13, 1816; d. Richmond, Va., July 14, 1854; single.
- (4) Abigail Merryman, b. March 13, 1818; d. Sept. 14, 1854; m., Jan., 1840, Robert Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 27, 1809; d. May 5, 1887; son of Joseph Stover and Jane Hewey.
- (5) Elizabeth M. Stover, b. Nov. 7, 1840; m., Feb. 6, 1862, William S. Alexander, b. March 9, 1838; d. Aug. 17, 1894; son of Pennell Alexander and Abigail Stover; grandson of John Stover and Lydia Merriman.
- (6) Abbie E. Alexander, b. Sept. 14, 1867; m., Feb. 4, 1894, George Andrew Barnes, b. Jan. 16, 1865; son of George W. Barnes and Abbie Merrill; grandson of Capt. William Barnes and Betsy Merryman.
- (7) Lillian F. Barnes, b. March 6, 1896.
- (7) William S. Barnes, b. Oct. 3, 1897.
- (6) Lewis P. Alexander, b. Aug. 18, 1864; single.
- (6) Fannie Louisa Alexander, b. Nov. 11, 1871; m., Oct. 10, 1895, Samuel Dunning Alexander, b. Harpswell, Me., July 29, 1851; farmer and carpenter; son of William Alexander and Elizabeth Dunning.
- (6) Mary B. Alexander, b. Feb. 27, 1897.
- (5) Alice M. Stover, b. March 30, 1844; m., Jan. 1, 1873, Isaac Alexander, b. May 29, 1841; son of Pennell Alexander and Abigail Stover; grandson of Capt. John Stover and Lydia Merryman.
- (6) Robert Willis Alexander, b. Oct. 31, 1874; fine school teacher.
- (5) Mary Austine Stover, b. Oct. 26, 1845; m., Oct. 11, 1873, John W. Merryman², b. Harpswell, Me.; son of John Merriman, 2d.⁴, and Susie Curtiss; grandson of William Merriman³ and Miriam Stover; great-grandson of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.
- (6) Jennie M Merriman, b. June 8, 1876; m., June 8, 1898, Chester Lemont Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., May 21,

- 1876; d. 1904; son of Theophilus Stover and Margaret Blake.
- (6) Charles E. Merriman, b. July 27, 1878.
- (6) Bessie H. Merriman, b. July 27, 1878.
- (5) Asenath Stover, b. April 15, 1849; d. Oct. 1, 1889; m., Sept. 6, 1883, William M. Kinnear.
- (6) Flora Frances Kinnear, b. July 22, 1884.
- (5) Silvester M. Stover, b. Feb. 7, 1852; resides Pendleton, Ore.; m., in the West, Edith Means.
- (6) Two children.
- (5) John Robert Stover, b. Feb. 7, 1852; d. May 16, 1854.
- (4) Nathaniel Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., April 13, 1820; d. Feb. 25, 1889; always resided in Harpswell, Me.; farmer; m., Feb. 1, 1854, Asenath B. Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 6, 1821; resides West Harpswell, Me.; daughter of Isaac Stover and Sarah Bibber; granddaughter of Alcot Stover and Elizabeth Allen.
- (5) Herbert Carlton Merriman, b. Jan. 11, 1837; farmer at West Harpswell, Me.; m., Jan. 11, 1905, Margaret Olive Stover, b. Isle au Haut, Me., Nov. 21, 1872; daughter of Isaiah Stover and Elizabeth Littlejohn.
- (5) Eugene Vincent Merriman, b. Sept. 16, 1858; farmer at West Harpswell, Me.; m., July 7, 1894, Alveda Florence Merriman⁵, b. Aug. 7, 1862; daughter of William Merriman⁴ and Delia A. Bibber.
- (6) Stanley Virdell Merriman, b. Jan. 28, 1901.
- (5) Sarah Elizabeth Merriman, b. Dec. 1, 1860; resides at West Harpswell, Me.
- (5) Edith Alfaretta Merriman, b. Nov. 22, 1863; resides at West Harpswell, Me.
- (4) Alcot Stover Merriman, b. April 4, 1822; d. Oct. 16, 1865; selectman of Harpswell, Me., 1865; m., Nov. 11, 1851, Sarah Jane Curtiss, b. April 27, 1830; d. Dec. 22, 1837; daughter of Peleg Curtiss and Jeannette Jordan, granddaughter of Paul Curtiss and Deborah Webber.
- (5) Paul Sprague Merriman, b. Aug. 31, 1852; resides Brunswick, Me.; m., May 19, 1877, Susan Dunning Randall, b. Jan. 17, 1857; daughter of Benjamin F. Randall and Eleanor Dunning.
- (6) Benjamin Randall Merriman, b. Sept. 10, 1879.
- (6) Ralph Percy Merriman, b. Dec. 29, 1882.
- (6) Alden Dunning Merriman, b. Dec. 29, 1890.
- (6) Helen Elizabeth Merriman, b. March 17, 1892.
- (5) Alcot James Merriman, b. March 6, 1854; resides Jay, Me.; deputy sheriff; m., March 5, 1882, Sarah L. Stod-

- dard, b. Farmington, Me., May 29, 1859; daughter of Willard Stoddard and Nancy ———.
- (6) Willard S. Merriman, b. Jan. 6, 1884.
- (6) Ida F. Merriman, b. Feb. 21, 1887.
- (5) John A. Merriman, b. March 16, 1855; resides Lisbon Falls, Me.; a builder of pulp mills; m., Feb. 25, 1884, Lydia Augusta Merryman⁵, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 22, 1857; daughter of John Henry Merriman and ———.
- (5) Washington Irvine Merriman, b. Aug. 16, 1857; d. Nov. 25, 1895; resided Willard, Me.; m., April 10, 1884, Rosie B. Stover, b. Aug. 23, 1864; d. Nov. 4, 1903.
- (6) Blanche L. Merriman, b. Sept. 13, 1885.
- (6) Harold S. Merriman, b. 1887.
- (6) Gladys S. Merriman, b. Aug. 18, 1890.
- (4) Albion Merriman, b. 1824; d. Aug. 24, 1826.
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CHAPTER II.

The second child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Molly Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 11, 1782; d. at Owl's Head, Rockland, Me., May 20, 1867; m., Jan. 12, 1803, Capt. Nathaniel Merryman³, b. Harpswell, Me., April 22, 1776; d. April 10, 1819; sea captain and farmer; son of Hugh Merryman² and Delight Bailey. (Full records of children, etc., p. 63.)
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CHAPTER III.

The third child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Hannah Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., May 11, 1783; d. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 7, 1862; m., Oct. 1, 1805, Walter Merryman³, b. Harpswell, Me., April 4, 1785; d. Nov. 7, 1867; son of Michael Merryman² and Mary Bishop. This family resided at Rocky Hill, Brunswick, Me. See Section 5, records of Michael Merryman.
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CHAPTER IV.

The fourth child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) William Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 4, 1785; d. May 12, 1859; m., July 12, 1809, Miriam Stover⁵, b. Jan. 21,

- 1787; d. Jan. 9, 1856; daughter of Capt. John Stover⁺ and Dolly Allen.
- (4) Capt. David Merryman, b. Sept. 19, 1810; d. Oct. 10, 1872; m., Sept. 30, 1849, Sarah A. Alexander, b. Harpswell, Me., Aug. 10, 1819; d. Sept. 22, 1875; daughter of John Alexander.
- (5) George A. Merriman, b. Aug. 8, 1850; resides West Harpswell, Me.; m., Oct. 11, 1874, Lydia Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., July 22, 1854; daughter of Jacob Stover and Lydia Merryman.
- (6) Mary E. Merriman, b. March 29, 1876.
- (6) Albert J. Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1883.
- (5) Emeline Merriman, b. Aug. 13, 1851; d. Feb. 10, 1855.
- (4) Capt. Wanton Merriman, b. April, 1811; d. Aug. 25, 1856; m. (first), March 4, 1841, Alice R. Stover, b. Jan. 8, 1814; d. Dec. 16, 1841; daughter of Joseph Stover and Jane Hewey; m. (second), Feb. 19, 1845, Cordelia Orr, b. 1823; d. Sept. 29, 1870; daughter of James Orr and Mary Merryman.

Children of first wife:

- (5) Child, d. in infancy.
- (5) Joseph S. Merryman, d. April 1, 1853 (16y.).

Children of second wife:

- (5) Arthur Orr Merriman, b. March 22, 1847; carpenter at Harpswell, Me.; m. Mrs. Hannah (Merryman) Mallett⁵, b. May 11, 1841; daughter of Simeon Merryman⁺ and Isabel Curtiss. She m. (first), Capt. Alvah Mallett.
- (5) Frances Emeline Merriman, b. April 22, 1848; d. May 22, 1865.
- (5) James William Merriman, b. May 28, 1849; resides South Harpswell, Me.; m., Sept. 2, 1877, Phæbe Emma Bailey, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 7, 1851; daughter of Elijah P. Bailey and Lavina Bibber.
- (5) Wanton Merriman, b. Sept. 8, 1851; single.
- (5) May Alice Merriman, b. June 7, 1853; d. in youth.
- (5) Delia Ann Merriman, b. July 14, 1855; resides at the old Harpswell Center, Me., homestead.
- (4) Capt. Daniel Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., May 24, 1819; d. July 15, 1894; m., Oct. 18, 1847, Deborah W. Curtiss, b. Harpswell, Aug. 19, 1822; daughter of Peleg Curtiss and Jeannette Jordan; granddaughter of Paul Curtiss and Deborah Webber.
- (5) Infant daughter, d. Dec. 5, 1847.
- (5) Infant daughter, d. Jan. 13, 1849.

- (5) Charlotte Merriman, b. Nov. 29, 1851; m., July 12, 1869, Isaac Lincoln Dunning, b. Harpswell, Me., April 8, 1852; son of Isaac Dunning and Nancy Stover.
- (6) Laura Curtiss Dunning, b. Sept. 6, 1869.
- (6) Gilbert Snow Dunning, b. Aug. 4, 1871.
- (5) Capt. Peleg Curtiss Merriman, b. Jan. 18, 1855; merchant at North Harpswell, Me.; m., 1892, Clara D. Randall, b. March 22, 1859; daughter of John F. Randall and Elizabeth Alexander.
- (5) Mariam Merriman, b. Jan. 13, 1857; m., Feb. 2, 1884, Isaac Alexander Johnson, b. Jan. 28, 1856; son of Isaac A. Johnson and Rebecca Curtiss.
- (6) Flora Charlotte Johnson, b. Sept. 20, 1885.
- (6) Deborah Curtiss Johnson, b. July 23, 1887.
- (6) Ira Berry Johnson, b. June 2, 1890.
- (6) Samuel Kelsey Johnson, b. March 12, 1892.
- (5) Daniel Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., April 23, 1850; d. March 3, 1905; a faithful mail carrier on R. F. D. Route No. 1 for several years; also kept a barber shop near his home; a genial man, beloved by all; m., May 4, 1880, Bertha A. Webber, b. Jan. 26, 1860; daughter of Capt. Arthur Webber and Bethiah Beals.
- (6) Leon Blake Merriman, b. Aug. 14, 1880; carpenter and mail carrier at West Harpswell, Me.; m., 1897, Daisy M. Noble, b. Harpswell, Me., June 26, 1880; daughter of Charles Noble and Mary Belinda Bibber.
- (7) Leona May Merriman, b. Oct. 31, 1898.
- (7) Edna Frances Merriman.
- (7) Raymond Stanley Merriman, d. Oct. 9, 1903.
- (7) Ralph Parker Merriman.
- (6) Ethel Frances Merriman, b. Nov. 12, 1881.
- (6) Earle Curtiss Merriman, b. May 24, 1891.
- (5) Deborah Cora Merriman, b. April 23, 1863; m., 1886, William F. Clark, son of Isaac Clark and Jane Allen.
- (5) Son, b. April 23, 1863; d. in infancy.
- (5) Daughter, b. Jan., 1865; d. in infancy.
- (5) William A. Merriman, b. July 23, 1867.
- (4) Emeline Merriman.
- (4) John Merriman, m., Sept. 7, 1841, Susie Curtiss, b. July 10, 1820; daughter of Peleg Curtiss and Jeannette Jordan. She m. (second), Oct. 4, 1866, Stockbridge Eaton of Dixfield, Me.
- (5) John William Merriman, m., Oct. 11, 1873, Mary Austine Stover. (See records, pp. 89-90.)

- (5) Alice Merriman, d. May 31, 1855; m. Emore T. Allen of Harpswell, Me.
- (6) Susan Ann Allen, b. Dec. 30, 1862; m., March 17, 1887, Freelan Smith.
- (6) Emore Irving Allen, b. Sept. 8, 1864; m., Oct. 2, 1886, Ola Toothaker.
- (6) Jeannette M. Allen, b. March 1, 1868; m., Dec. 22, 1890, Walter F. Pinkham, b. May 22, 1870; son of Timothy H. Pinkham and Mary Elizabeth Baily.
- (7) Wilmer A. Pinkham, b. April 6, 1892.
- (7) Lettie M. Pinkham, b. June 29, 1895.
- (7) John L. Pinkham, b. Jan. 23, 1897.
- (6) John W. Allen, b. April 8, 1871; m., Nov. 9, 1904, Lizzie M. Estey.
- (6) May E. Allen, b. Dec. 19, 1872.
- (6) Ernest S. Allen, b. Feb. 16, 1875.
- (6) Alice F. Allen, b. April 16, 1879.
- (6) Lillie E. Allen, b. April 23, 1883.

CHAPTER V.

The fifth child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Fanny Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 23, 1787; d. Jan. 19, 1856; m., Oct. 16, 1808, Silvester Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., July 3, 1777; d. April 13, 1859; son of Alcot Stover and Elizabeth Allen; no children.

CHAPTER VI.

The sixth child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Mercy Merryman, b. Sept. 17, 1791; d. Oct. 16, 1835; m., Oct. 9, 1817, James Orr², b. Orr's Island, Me., Nov. 7, 1791; d. Sept. 23, 1827; son of Clement Orr¹ and Patience Blake.
- (4) Mary Orr, b. Dec. 20, 1819; d. Nov. 24, 1846; m., April 15, 1838, James Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 22, 1810; d. Jan. 22, 1863; son of Joseph Stover and Jane Hewey.
- (5) Mercy Jane Stover, b. Dec. 10, 1840; m., Oct. 22, 1858, John J. Curtiss, b. Oct. 22, 1887; son of Peleg Curtiss and Jeannette Jordan.
- (6) Mary Jeannette Curtiss, b. Jan. 4, 1863; d. Jan. 3, 1891, m. Capt. Jeremiah Bartlett Pinkham, b. Oct. 3, 1859; d. July 14, 1887; son of Jacob Bailey Pinkham and Ann Bartlett.

- (7) Jennie Mildred Pinkham, b. June 6, 1885.
- (6) Alpha E. Curtiss, b. July 1, 1868; d. Feb. 10, 1869.
- (6) John Albert Curtiss, b. June 22, 1872; m., June 23, 1895, Jennie Littlefield, b. Sept. 27, 1873.
- (7) Joseph Albert Curtiss, b. May 23, 1896.
- (7) Mertie Patience Curtiss, b. Sept. 7, 1897.
- (5) Joseph Stover, b. May 23, 1849; m., Feb. 26, 1885, Lydia Ann Alexander, b. Jan. 5, 1848; daughter of Pennell Alexander and Abigail Stover.
- (4) Cordelia Orr, b. 1823; d. Sept. 29, 1870; m., as his second wife, Capt. Wanton Merryman. (See records, p. 92.)
- (4) Arthur Orr, b. May, 1825; d. Oct. 14, 1891; m., Dec. 23, 1847, Esther Ann Wilson, b. July 19, 1829; d. Jan. 8, 1898; daughter of David Wilson and Esther Mountfort.
- (5) Charles Edwin Orr, b. Harpswell, Me., Nov. 3, 1848; d. Bath, Me., Sept. 27, 1892; carriage maker and carpenter; m., Jan. 11, 1873, Lydia F. Webber, b. Harpswell, Me., March 20, 1846; daughter of David Webber and Lucretia Pinkham.
- (6) Lucy Frances Orr, b. West Harpswell, Me., May 9, 1875; m., June 11, 1903, Frank Edgar Merryman, b. Bowdoin, Me.; stenographer.
- (7) Francis Arthur Merryman, b. Jan. 13, 1905.
- (6) Charles Sylvester Orr, b. West Harpswell, Me., Nov. 8, 1877; graduated Bath High School June, 1895; stenographer in Boston, Mass.
- (6) Fred Augustus Orr, b. Brunswick, Me., Jan. 6, 1880; machinist in Bath, Me.; m., Dec. 15, 1903, Rose Ethel Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 24, 1883; daughter of Rufus D. Merriman and Susie G. Woodward.
- (7) Alice Marion Orr, b. Jan. 12, 1904.
- (6) Carrie Helen Orr, b. Bath, Me., April 29, 1883.
- (6) Arthur Richardson Orr, b. Bath, Me., July 18, 1885; m., Aug., 1905, Maude Anna Deering of Bath; machinist in Bath, Me.
- (5) Horatio A. Orr, b. June 15, 1851; m., June, 1878, Debra Aldrich Bibber, b. Aug. 9, 1855; daughter of Nathaniel P. Bibber and Mrs. Ellen (Aldrich) Sylvester.
- (6) Eunice L. Orr, b. and d. Aug. 30, 1886.
- (6) Earnford Orr, b. 1887; d. in infancy.
- (6) Forrest Walker Orr, b. May 5, 1891.
- (5) Sylvester Stover Orr, b. Oct. 27, 1852; d. Feb. 1, 1878.
- (5) Cordelia M. Orr, b. May 21, 1855; m., June 14, 1876, Orlando M. Bibber⁵, b. Harpswell, Me., March 17, 1852; son of Capt. David Bibber⁴ and Amy Bibber.

- (6) Charles A. Bibber, b. March 19, 1877.
- (6) Susie M. Bibber, b. Feb. 24, 1881.
- (6) Orlando S. Bibber, b. Nov. 21, 1883.
- (6) Annie E. Bibber, b. Oct. 31, 1887.
- (6) Bernard M. Bibber, b. Dec. 12, 1892.
- (6) Winfield A. Bibber, b. May 8, 1894.
- (5) Annie Gertrude Orr, b. Feb. 14, 1877; m., April 25, 1894,
Elwood David Allen, b. Feb. 11, 1865; daughter of
George Elwood Allen and Carrie Smith.
- (4) James Orr, b. 1821; d. Sept., 1827.

CHAPTER VII.

The seventh child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Lydia Merryman, b. Aug. 11, 1792; d. Aug. 23, 1821; m., Aug. 16, 1810, Capt. John Stover⁵, b. Harpswell, Me., March 21, 1781; son of Alcot Stover and Elizabeth Allen.
- (4) Jacob Stover, b. Feb. 5, 1811; d. April 8, 1892; m., Jan. 13, 1842, Hannah Merryman⁴, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 24, 1821; d. March 10, 1895; son of Jacob Merryman³ and Elizabeth Clark.
- (5) William C. Stover, b. Sept. 10, 1844; d. April 16, 1855.
- (5) Jacob Henry Stover, b. Nov. 6, 1848; d. Oct. 10, 1886.
- (5) Pennell Alexander Stover, b. July 17, 1850; m. Bianca A. Bibber, b. Nov. 19, 1851; daughter of Bailey Bibber and Phoebe Bailey.
- (6) Burton Scott Stover, b. March 20, 1877; m. Grace C. Allen, b. ———; d. Jan. 7, 1904; daughter of George Allen and Caroline Smith.
- (7) Burton S. Stover, b. Nov. 6, 1896.
- (7) George P. Stover, b. Oct. 31, 1897.
- (5) Lizzie E. Stover, b. Dec. 22, 1852.
- (5) Lydia Stover, b. July 22, 1854; m., Oct. 11, 1874, George A. Merriman, b. Aug. 8, 1850. (See records, p. 92.)
- (5) Robert Dunning Stover, b. Aug. 13, 1858; d. June 2, 1882.
- (5) Thomas Millett Stover, b. June 14, 1867; drowned Jan. 16, 1904.
- (4) Abigail Stover, b. Nov. 17, 1812; m., Jan. 5, 1837, Pennell Alexander, son of Isaac Alexander.
- (5) William S. Alexander, b. March 9, 1858; d. Aug. 17, 1894; m., Feb. 6, 1862, Elizabeth M. Stover, b. Nov. 7, 1840; daughter of Robert Stover.

- (6) Abbie Alexander, b. Sept. 14, 1867; m., Feb. 4, 1894,
George A. Barnes, b. June 16, 1865.
- (7) Lillian F. Barnes, b. Aug. 18, 1896.
- (7) William S. Barnes, b. Oct. 3, 1897.
- (6) Lewis P. Alexander, b. Aug. 18, 1869.
- (6) Fannie Louisa Alexander, b. Nov. 11, 1871; m., Oct. 12,
1895. Samuel D. Alexander, b. July 29, 1851; son of
William Alexander and Elizabeth Dunning.
- (7) Elizabeth Frances Alexander, b. May 23, 1897.
- (6) Mary B. Alexander, b. Feb. 27, 1877.
- (5) Isaac Alexander, b. July 29, 1841; m., Jan. 1, 1873, Alice
M. Stover, b. March 30, 1844; daughter of Robert
Stover and Abigail Merryman.
- (6) Robert Willis Alexander, b. Oct. 31, 1874.
- (5) Lydia Ann Alexander, b. Jan. 15, 1848; m., Feb. 26, 1885,
Joseph A. Stover, b. May 23, 1847; daughter of James
Stover and Mary Orr.
- (4) Hannah Stover, b. Jan. 8, 1814; d. Aug. 14, 1894; single.
- (4) William Stover, b. Feb. 22, 1816; d. April 26, 1842.
- (4) Fanny Stover, b. Aug. 22, 1817; m., Nov. 9, 1841, James
Alexander; son of Isaac Alexander and Mary Pennell.
- (5) Albert L. Alexander, b. Jan. 6, 1845; m. Adeline Rideout.
- (6) Holman Alexander, b. Jan. 14, 1878.
- (6) Fannie Alexander, b. Jan. 21, 1883.
- (6) Albert L. Alexander.
- (6) Bertha Alexander.
- (5) Henry Alexander, b. Jan. 11, 1848; m. Maria Bunter of
Haverhill, Mass.
- (5) James Edward Alexander, b. April 24, 1854; blacksmith
at North Harpswell, Me.; m., Oct. 21, 1883, Etta B.
Johnson, b. Sept. 25, 1853; daughter of Isaac Alexander
Johnson and Rebecca Curtiss.
- (4) Lettice Stover, b. Nov. 26, 1819; d. April 2, 1897; m., Oct.
25, 1843, William Clough Eaton, b. Dec. 24, 1815; d. Jan.
28, 1903; son of Joseph Eaton and Fannie Tyler Wood.
- (5) Frances Tyler Eaton, b. Feb. 8, 1846; d. Oct. 21, 1875;
m. Clement L. Dunning, b. July 15, 1836.
- (5) Alfred Pennell Eaton, b. Dec. 18, 1849; d. Aug. 9, 1850.
- (5) Ann Augusta Eaton, b. June 1, 1851; d. Oct. 25, 1865.
- (5) Joseph Franklin Eaton, b. Dec. 3, 1855; d. Jan. 11, 1856.
- (5) Samuel Eaton, b. May 15, 1857; d. Nov. 1, 1865.
- (4) Two infants, b. and d. Aug. 23, 1821.

CHAPTER VIII.

The eighth child of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.

- (3) Jacob Merryman, b. Sept. 20, 1793; d. July 29, 1866; m. Elizabeth Clark, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb., 1793; d. July 12, 1883; daughter of Josiah Clark, Jr., and Miriam Rodick.
- (4) Simon Merriman, b. April 7, 1816; d. July 12, 1882; m., April 29, 1838, Isabel M. Curtiss, b. Harpswell, Me., Sept. 19, 1817; daughter of Nehemiah Curtiss and Jane Alexander.
- (5) Charles W. Merriman, b. Dec. 16, 1838; m. Jennie Foster of Topsham, Me.
- (5) Hannah Merriman, b. May 11, 1841; m. (first), Nov. 12, 1867, Capt. Alvah P. Mallett, b. Topsham, Me., Nov. 22, 1841; d. at sea Sept. 26, 1873; m. (second), Arthur O. Merriman, b. March 22, 1847.

Children of first husband:

- (6) Alvah Mallett, d. at 29 years of age.
- (6) Alice S. Mallett, b. Oct., 1872; d. Nov. 2, 1889.
- (5) Capt. Jacob Merriman, b. Aug. 29, 1843; resides Topsham, Me.; m., 1868, Mary Ella Cox, b. Topsham, Me., Sept. 5, 1851; daughter of James Cox and Priscilla Purington.
- (6) Clara B. Merriman, b. Sept. 9, 1874; d. Oct. 21, 1882.
- (6) Florence P. Merriman, b. Aug. 1, 1876.
- (6) Henry F. Merriman, b. Oct. 23, 1878.
- (6) James Guy Merriman, b. March 17, 1880; d. 1904. He was a very industrious and ambitious young man, and had lately successfully taken his examination as a conductor on the Maine Central Railroad.
- (6) Roy S. Merriman, b. Feb. 16, 1883.
- (5) Rufus Dunning Merriman, b. Harpswell, Me., July 26, 1849; carpenter; m., Jan. 12, 1878, Susie G. Woodward, b. Brunswick, Me., Oct. 10, 1852; daughter of Jordan Woodward and Martha Snow.
- (6) Elmer Merriman, b. May 10, 1879; d. Sept. 9, 1881.
- (6) Rose Ethel Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1883; m., Dec. 15, 1903, Fred Augustus Orr, b. June 8, 1880.
- (7) Alice Marion Orr, b. Jan. 12, 1904.
- (6) Lulu M. Merriman, b. June 5, 1891.
- (5) Lavina L. Merriman, b. Sept. 28, 1859; resides Harpswell, Me.; m., Oct. 24, 1884, George C. Bibber⁵, b. Nov. 20, 1857, son of Charles Bibber, Jr., and Susan C. Webber.

- (6) Harmon A. Bibber, b. June 18, 1885.
- (6) Mertie J. Bibber, b. April 23, 1887.
- (6) Ellen M. Bibber, b. April 23, 1892.
- (6) Lottie J. Bibber, b. Feb. 27, 1895.
- (6) Idella H. Bibber, b. May 26, 1897.
- (6) George C. Bibber, b. June 6, 1899; d. Oct. 17, 1899.
- (4) Charles Merriman, b. Aug., 1819; d. Feb. 19, 1875; m., Nov. 27, 1845, Eleanor H. Webber, b. Harpswell, Me., Dec. 6, 1824; daughter of Phineas Webber and Lydia A. Beals.
- (5) Charles E. Merriman, b. Sept. 15, 1846; d. Sept. 30, 1860.
- (5) Lydia E. Merriman, b. Oct. 25, 1848; d. July 10, 1851.
- (5) Mary A. Merriman, b. June 8, 1851; m. Samuel Goud.
- (5) Frederic C. Merriman, b. May 22, 1854; m., Jan. 23, 1884, Emma H. Hodgkins; daughter of Charles H. Hodgkins and Josephine Johnson.
- (6) Thomas; Alice; Wylie Francis; Louise Thankful; Lionel.
- (5) Capt. Walter H. Merriman, b. Oct. 12, 1856; m. Lizzie Gelney.
- (6) Frank H. Merriman, b. May 16, 1884.
- (6) Walter Merriman, Jr., b. Feb. 16, 1887.
- (6) Perley Merriman, b. April 16, 1889.
- (6) Eva M. Merriman, b. June 5, 1893.
- (6) Eleanor Merriman, b. June 12, 1896.
- (6) Ernest Merriman, b. May 20, 1899.
- (5) Lizzie J. Merriman, b. March 20, 1861; d. June 9, 1877.
- (5) Margaret E. Merriman, b. July 4, 1866; m. (first), Dec. 11, 1883, Samuel Hodgkins⁴, b. May 30, 1863; d. Jan. 2, 1891; son of Charles B. Hodgkins⁵ and Josephine Johnson; m. (second), March 14, 1893, Herbert L. Webber, b. June 2, 1868; son of David Webber and Abigail ———.

Children of first husband:

- (6) Frederic Edgar Hodgkins, b. April 4, 1883; d. 1903.
- (6) Josephine Mary Hodgkins, b. March 14, 1885.
- (6) Alphonso Bryant Hodgkins, b. April 4, 1889; d. Oct. 21, 1893.

Children of second husband:

- (6) Charles Edward Webber, b. Sept. 30, 1898.
- (6) Bertha E. Webber.
- (6) Daughter, b. Feb. 13, 1903.
- (5) Lucy H. Merriman, b. Oct. 12, 1869; d. Jan. 8, 1897; m., Oct. 31, 1891, Frank A. Alexander.
- (6) Ida Bailey Alexander, b. Nov. 2, 1892.

- (4) Hannah Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1821; d. Nov. 10, 1895; m., Jan. 13, 1842, Jacob Stover. (See records, pp. 96, 97.)
- (4) Lydia S. Merriman, b. Feb. 24, 1821; d. Feb. 26, 1893; m., Oct. 3, 1844, Capt. Norton Stover, b. March 23, 1812; d. Nov. 19, 1898; son of Capt. Joshua Stover and Sarah Curtiss.
- (5) Susan E. Stover, b. Sept. 12, 1845; m. (first), 1872, Capt. Llewellyn Hoit, who d. 1878; m. (second), 1886, Howard L. Maxwell of Lewiston, Me.
- (5) Julia F. Stover, b. Dec. 25, 1849.
- (5) Lucinda M. Stover, b. Jan. 9, 1857; m., Aug. 13, 1871, Horatio Merrill of Falmouth, Me.
- (6) Ida V. Merrill, b. March 16, 1877; d. Dec. 24, 1877.
- (6) Alice B. Merrill, b. Feb. 27, 1887; d. Feb. 29, 1887.
- (5) Lorenzo A. Stover, b. Feb. 7, 1860; d. April 24, 1873.
- (5) Alvah B. Stover, b. March 3, 1862; d. April 24, 1873.
- (4) Lucinda Merriman, b. Sept. 25, 1823; d. July 13, 1897; m., Sept. 12, 1847, Capt. David Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., March 19, 1819; son of Capt. Johnson Stover and Sarah Curtiss.
- (5) Elizabeth Ann Stover, b. Sept. 17, 1848; resides Springfield, Mass.; m., March 12, 1879, Isaac Newton Bailey, b. Harpswell, Me., April 24, 1846; d. Dec. 9, 1904; son of Moses Bailey and Sarah H. Bailey.
- (6) Fred Pennoyer Bailey, b. Aug. 12, 1882; carpenter and builder; m., June 22, 1903, Stella G. Hollingsworth.
- (7) Helen S. Bailey, b. July 5, 1904.
- (5) David Sewall Stover, b. July 25, 1857.
- (5) Child, d. in infancy.
- (5) Georgietta Stover, b. March 28, 1864.
- (5) Nellie L. Stover, b. March 28, 1864.
- (4) Capt. Josiah Clark Merryman, b. Dec. 25, 1825; d. Oct. 19, 1894; m., Feb. 14, 1850, Eliza Ann Webber, b. Oct. 10, 1829; d. Dec. 11, 1879; daughter of Phineas Webber and Lydia A. Beals.
- (5) Edward Payson Merriman, b. May 25, 1851; d. Sept. 15, 1876.
- (5) Fanny U. Merriman, b. 1853; d. 1857.
- (5) Hattie E. Merriman, b. April 13, 1856; m., 1880, Eubra S. Cunningham, b. Edgecomb, Me.
- (6) Iola Mary Cunningham, b. Feb. 25, 1881; d. Nov. 13, 1896.
- (6) Maurice Eubra Cunningham, b. March 4, 1884.
- (6) Maud Lyndale Cunningham, b. Aug. 27, 1890.
- (6) Helen Evangeline Cunningham, b. Nov. 22, 1895.

- (6) Florence Belle Cunningham, b. March 16, 1897.
- (5) Lydia E. Merriman, d. at eight months.
- (5) Byron W. Merriman, b. 1860; d. 1862.
- (5) Sylvester S. Merriman, b. Aug. 17, 1863; m. (first), Aug. 17, 1886, Rosetta Rush, b. Southport, Me., Oct. 20, 1866; d. Jan. 8, 1890; m. (second), Oct. 14, 1894, Emma Hornbrok.

Children of first wife:

- (6) Joseph Merriman, b. Dec. 30, 1887; d. Aug. 28, 1888.
- (6) Sadie Merriman, b. July 15, 1889.

Children of second wife:

- (6) Nellie D. Merriman, b. Aug. 3, 1895.
- (6) Grace E. Merriman, b. Aug. 26, 1897.
- (5) Mary Frances Merriman, b. July 15, 1866; d. April 3, 1881.
- (5) Melville de Forrest Merriman, b. May 29, 1870.
- (4) Jacob Henry Merriman, b. Dec. 25, 1832; d. Dec. 25, 1899; farmer and blacksmith; m. (first), May 15, 1855, Mary Jane Webber, b. Oct. 18, 1831; d. Aug. 7, 1875; daughter of Phineas Webber and Lydia A. Beals; m. (second), Jan. 21, 1883, Matilda Allen, b. March 9, 1846; daughter of Elisha Allen.

Children of first wife:

- (5) Frank Ernest Merriman, b. March 4, 1856; carpenter; m., Oct. 26, 1890, Mary Brown.
- (5) Lydia Augusta Merriman, b. Dec. 22, 1857; m., Feb. 24, 1884, Jacob A. Merriman⁵, b. March 16, 1855.
- (5) Mary Helen Merriman, b. March 5, 1863; m., May 4, 1891, John R. Stanwood of Bath, Me., b. Aug. 23, 1893.
- (6) Ernest Treat Stanwood, b. May 16, 1893.
- (5) Susie E. Merriman, b. June 11, 1866; d. Feb. 6, 1891.
- (5) Kate D. Merriman, b. March 24, 1869; m., June 27, 1897, Winfield Scott Allen, b. Oct. 10, 1869.

Child of second wife:

- (5) Mildred J. Merriman, b. Sept. 12, 1885.
- (4) Mercy Ellen Merriman, b. May 1, 1835; m. (first), Feb. 21, 1855, Capt. Abijah Curtiss Stover, b. March 16, 1823; d. Jan. 4, 1887; son of Capt. Johnson H. Stover and Susanah Curtiss.
- (5) Johnson Harmon Stover, b. Aug. 2, 1857; resides South Harpswell, Me.; painter and paper hanger; m., Dec. 6, 1885, Lydia Johnson Farr, b. Dec. 7, 1852; daughter of Hugh Farr and Ruth Orr.

- (6) Harmon Dinsmore Stover, b. Oct. 26, 1886; graduated Westbrook Seminary, June 29, 1905.
- (6) Ruby Ellen Stover, b. July 14, 1888.
- (6) Lydia Ann Stover, b. March 26, 1892.
- (6) William Abijah Stover, b. Aug. 18, 1894.
- (5) Delphina Paris Stover, b. May 3, 1859; resides Auburn, Me.; m., Jan. 5, 1879, John Harmon Thomas, b. Harpswell, Me., Feb. 22, 1847; son of Paul R. Thomas and Elizabeth Pennell.
- (6) Mary Abbie Thomas, b. March 24, 1880.
- (6) Edna Gertrude Thomas, b. Sept. 15, 1883; graduated Edward Little High School, Auburn, Me., 1902, and from Bliss Business College, Lewiston, Me., 1903.
- (6) John Harmon Thomas, b. March 22, 1885; graduated Edward Little High School, Auburn, Me., 1902.
- (6) Mina Stetson Thomas, b. May 21, 1889; d. June 14, 1890.
- (5) William D. Stover, b. May 11, 1861; d. Dec. 24, 1887.
- (5) Abijah Curtiss Stover, b. March 16, 1863; m., Aug. 24, 1884, Willietta Martha Bibber, b. March 3, 1868; daughter of William Stockbridge Bibber and Martha Ann Preble.
- (6) Delphina Paris Stover, b. June 8, 1885.
- (6) Emma Leona Stover, b. April 15, 1892.
- (5) Mary Estelle Stover, b. June 20, 1865; m., Dec., 1889, George Blaisdell, b. East Harpswell, Me., Dec. 5, 1853, son of Joseph Blaisdell and Mary Ann ———; machinist.
- (5) Ellen Gertrude Stover, b. Jan. 28, 1873; m., April, 1894, David Parker, b. Greene, Me., Dec. 8, 1864; son of Emery Parker and Caris ———.

SECTION FIFTH.

- (2) Michael Merryman, the fifth son of Ancestor Walter Merryman¹, b. Harpswell, Me., 1760; d. Feb. 2, 1848 (88y.); m., Feb. 13, 1783, Mary Bishop, b. Harpswell, Me., 1756; d. Jan. 26, 1832 (66y.); daughter of Luke Bishop, the Harpswell (Me.) Bishop ancestor. He lived on what has been called the Capt. Hudson Merryman farm at Harpswell Center, Me. Hudson Merryman inherited this place from his uncle, Michael Merryman. It is said that the Ancestor Walter Merryman lived for awhile on the same farm.

The children of Michael Merryman and Mary Bishop:

CHAPTER I.

- (3) Walter Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., April 4, 1785; d. Nov. 7, 1867. He lived at Rocky Hill, Brunswick, Me.; farmer; m., Oct. 1, 1805, Hannah Merryman³, b. Harpswell, Me., May 11, 1783; d. Dec. 7, 1862, daughter of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.
- (4) Capt. Enos Merryman, b. Jan. 22, 1807; d. Jan. 4, 1851. He died at New York City, of smallpox, while acting as keeper of a ship; buried at Greenwood Cemetery, N. Y.; m. Hannah McManus³, b. Brunswick, Me., Nov. 10, 1806; d. Nov., 1899; daughter of Robert McManus² and Eleanor Coombs; granddaughter of Ancestor James McManus¹ and Mary Corbett.
- (5) Capt. Robert Lincoln Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., April 4, 1829; d. Alameda, Cal., Dec., 1903. He was a successful captain for many years; m. Almira Merryman⁵, b. Jan. 9, 1834; d. June 7, 1899; daughter of Capt. Thomas Merryman⁴ and Almira McManus.
- (6) Nellie Alexander Merryman, d. in youth.

- (6) George M. Merryman, b. April 1, 1861; resides Alameda, Cal.; a steamer engineer on the Pacific coast; m. Miss Hatch.
- (6) Capt. Robert L. Merryman, b. Oct., 1864.
- (6) Elmira Merryman, b. Aug., 1876; resides Alameda, Cal.
- (5) Harriet Knights Merryman, b. Sept. 1, 1832; d. Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 15, 1873; m., Feb. 23, 1850, Thomas Merryman⁵, b. Nov. 27, 1826; d. Brookline, Mass., July 3, 1892; son of James Merryman⁴ and Mary B. Merryman³.
- (6) Thomas P. Merryman, b. Portland, Me., July 13, 1851; resides Brockton, Mass. (See records, p. 23.)
- (5) Walter Merryman, b. Sept. 12, 1833; d. 1881; followed the sea in early life and then was a farmer at Grousetown, Brunswick, Me.; m. Mrs. Nancy McManus, *nee* Webber, the widow of James McManus.
- (5) George Merryman, b. May 21, 1836; d. New Orleans, La., June 8, 1858; followed the sea.
- (5) Enos Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., Jan. 13, 1840; resides Roxbury, Mass.; went to sea at first, and has since been a carpenter; m., June 24, 1875, Sarah Grace Ellenwood, b. Boston, Mass., March 12, 1846; daughter of William Francis Ellenwood and Sarah H. Fessenden Ford; a daughter of the American Revolution.
- (5) Fannie Quincy Merryman, b. Feb. 21, 1843; resides Haverhill, Mass.; m. Edward B. Bishop, b. July 6, 1835; son of Joshua Bishop and Harriet Randall. For several years one of the commissioners of Essex County, Mass.
- (6) Mary F. Bishop, b. Sept. 9, 1877.
- (6) Child, d. in infancy, March 12, 1878.
- (6) Edward Brown Bishop, b. May 23, 1881.
- (6) Fannie Merryman Bishop, b. July 25, 1887.
- (5) Capt. John H. Merryman, b. Aug. 17, 1846; resides San Francisco, Cal.; has followed the sea since 15 years of age.
- (4) John Merryman, b. Oct. 5, 1808; d. Feb. 27, 1891; m. Elinor C. McManus², b. Brunswick, Me., June 1, 1809; d. Saco, Me., March 29, 1891; daughter of Robert McManus² and Eleanor Coombs; granddaughter of Ancestor James McManus¹ and Mary Corbett.
- (5) Hannah Ellen Merryman, b. April 14, 1829; d. Jan. 9, 1844.
- (5) Frances Erwin Merryman, b. Nov. 11, 1831; resides Haverhill, Mass.; m. June 3, 1853, John Henry Woodside,

- b. Brunswick, Me., Sept., 1829; son of John Woodside and Nancy Melcher.
- (6) Nancy Ellen Woodside, b. April 2, 1855; m. (first), William R. Chase, who d. 1892; m. (second), Dec. 25, 1899, Ernest Gilman.
- (6) Augusta Curtis Woodside, b. March, 1860; m., 1877, James H. Graham.
- (7) Charles H. Graham, b. 1878; m., 1898, Rose Babette.
- (8) Son, b. June, 1899. .
- (7) William Graham, b. 1887.
- (7) Nancy S. Graham, b. 1892.
- (6) Francis Henry Woodside, b. Sept., 1867; m., 1886, Rose Lee, b. 1868.
- (7) Ralph E. Woodside, b. March, 1888.
- (5) Nathaniel Merryman, b. April 22, 1833; d. Baker City, Ore., Aug., 1870; miner; went to California in 1850.
- (5) Augusta Merryman, b. Dec. 22, 1834; m. Capt. Peleg Curtiss, b. Jan. 28, 1818; d. Sept. 11, 1879; son of Peleg Curtiss and Jeannette Jordan.
- (5) Richard Merryman, b. Brunswick, Me., Dec. 24, 1836; resides Haverhill, Mass.; contractor and builder; m., July 4, 1869, Ella A. Roberts, b. Winchester, Mass., April 11, 1849; daughter of Samuel Roberts and Olive A. ———. Gave fine help with these records.
- (6) Evalyn Olive Merryman, b. Baker City, Ore., April 24, 1870; resides Haverhill, Mass.; graduated Bradford Academy, Mass., 1889; m., Sept. 20, 1895, Daniel C. Hunt¹, b. Chelsea, Vt., Oct. 13, 1867; member of the F. E. Hutchinson Shoe Co.; son of Daniel Smith Hunt and Henrietta Ordway.
- (7) Olive Stetson Hunt, b. Aug. 30, 1896.
- (7) Harriet Ordway Hunt, b. Jan. 19, 1899.
- (7) Paul Merryman Hunt, b. Oct. 7, 1905.
- (6) Walter Roberts Merryman, b. Baker City, Ore., Feb. 6, 1872; graduated Bryant and Stratton's Commercial College, Boston, Mass., 1890; photographer at Haverhill, Mass.; m., Nov. 27, 1902, Alice Brooks Merrill.
- (7) Rebecca Eastman Merryman, b. May 31, 1904.
- (5) William Simpson Merryman, b. March 20, 1840; resides Haverhill, Mass., since 1866; mason; street commissioner at Haverhill, Mass., for several years; m., Nov. 3, 1867, Frances Eliza Dennett, b. Topsham, Me., Feb. 3, 1850; daughter of William W. Dennett and Eliza S.
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- (6) Anna Walker Merryman, b. Lisbon, Me., May 11, 1869; m., Sept. 5, 1894, Dr. George E. Blanchard of Lewiston, Me., now of New York City.
 - (6) Maude Dennett Merryman, b. June 16, 1874; m., June 6, 1894, Walter H. Page, a shoe manufacturer of Haverhill, Mass.
 - (7) Frances Dennett Page, b. Nov. 19, 1895.
 - (7) William Merryman Page, b. Nov. 15, 1897.
 - (5) Lydia Whitehouse Merryman, b. Oct. 4, 1844; d. Saco, Me., Sept. 29, 1899; m. (first), Charles Spencer Merryman, b. Oct. 11, 1832; d. Callao, Peru, Nov. 11, 1873; son of Capt. Henry Merryman⁺ and Catherine McManus. (See p. 40.) M. (second), Jan. 1, 1873, Judge Rufus P. Tapley of Saco, Me., who d. April 10, 1893.
 - (6) Margaret Tapley, b. 1874; d. in infancy.
 - (6) Edward Kent Tapley, b. Feb. 28, 1876; d. Feb. 27, 1896.
 - (6) Linda Kent Tapley, b. Sept. 20, 1878; d. Sept. 27, 1895; m., May 1, 1899, Henry LeBonte.
 - (6) John D. Annvers Tapley, b. Dec. 2, 1885.
 - (5) Robert McManus Merryman, b. March 16, 1846; resides Haverhill, Mass.; left Brunswick, Me., in 1862; carried on the reform school farm at Portland, Me., one season; stone mason; m. (first), Aug. 7, 1872, Mrs. Laura L. (Morrison) Graham of Haverhill, Mass.; m. (second), Oct. 3, 1894, Viola Laura Rowell of Haverhill, Mass.
- Child of first wife:
- (6) John W. Merryman, b. 1880.
- Child of second wife:
- (6) Nettie Frances Merryman, b. Feb. 3, 1896.
 - (5) Hannah Ellen Merryman, b. May 12, 1848; d. Oct., 1869.
 - (5) Linda S. Merryman, b. Dec. 8, 1853.
 - (4) Galen Merryman, b. Oct. 4, 1810; d. 1892; m. Kate P. Coombs of Brunswick, Me.; daughter of Charles Coombs.
 - (5) Jane Merryman, m. Joseph Carter.
 - (6) Alice Carter.
 - (5) Carrie Merryman.
 - (5) Alice Merryman.
 - (4) Mary Jane Merryman, b. May 28, 1813; d. Dec. 15, 1844; m. William McManus.
 - (5) Walter McManus, m. Harriet S. Mail of Deering, Me.
 - (5) Fannie J. McManus, b. June 1843; d. Dec. 16, 1853.
 - (4) Fannie J. Merryman, b. 1815; d. April 10, 1831.
 - (4) Capt. Robert Merryman, b. April 22, 1822; d. Oct. 18, 1892; m. (first), Rebecca A. Nutter, b. May 24, 1822; d. Feb. 22,

1872; m. (second), Oct. 18, 1873, Hannah E. McManus, b. April 16, 1838.

Children of first wife:

- (5) Mary J. Merryman, b. April 15, 1847; d. Sept. 28, 1853.
- (5) Anthony N. Merryman, b. May 18, 1855; d. July 9, 1865.
- (5) Enos L. Merryman, b. July 16, 1857; d. March, 1881; m. Martha Bradley.
- (6) Edwin C. Merryman, b. Sept. 30, 1881.
- (6) Harry Merryman, b. Oct., 1882.

CHAPTER II.

- (3) Capt. James Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Jan. 3, 1787; d. Aug. 25, 1876; m. (first), March 24, 1813, Sallie Curtiss, b. Sept. 5, 1793; d. April 21, 1831; daughter of Paul Curtiss and Deborah Webber; m. (second), Mrs. Mary (Estes) Bishop.

Children, all of the first marriage:

- (4) Deborah Merryman, b. July, 1814; d. March 16, 1888; m., Oct. 25, 1838, Capt. Sinnett Orr of Bailey's Island, Me., b. Oct. 27, 1817; d. April 8, 1897; son of Richard Orr and Mary Sinnett.
- (5) Mary Orr, b. Sept. 14, 1842; d. April 24, 1853.
- (5) Isaac Henry Orr, b. Jan. 9, 1844; d. Dec. 7, 1864.
- (5) Capt. James Lewis Orr, b. March 26, 1846; d. May 10, 1900; m., Oct. 9, 1877, Mary Louise Stover, b. Harpswell Center, Me., Dec. 22, 1852; daughter of Capt. Lemuel H. Stover and Jane Johnson Sinnett.
- (6) Ethel Waldron Orr, b. Dec. 30, 1882.
- (5) Hudson Bishop Merryman Orr, b. Sept. 3, 1848; m., April 8, 1876, Hattie Randall Douglass^a, b. Sept. 22, 1853; daughter of John W. Douglass^s and Martha C. Randall.
- (6) Child, b. Jan. 24, 1877; d. in infancy.
- (6) Orah Mary Orr, b. June 2, 1879; d. Dec. 6, 1892.
- (6) Sinnett Winfred Orr, b. Jan. 24, 1881.
- (6) Jennie Grace Orr, b. Nov. 4, 1883; m., Sept., 1901, Ernest W. Gardner.
- (6) John William Orr, b. April 6, 1886; d. May 10, 1901.
- (6) Mattie Lewis Orr, b. May 24, 1889.
- (6) Helena Almira Orr, b. April 19, 1890.
- (6) Bertha Irene Orr, b. Aug. 19, 1895; d. Jan. 15, 1897.
- (5) Mary Elizabeth Orr, b. Oct. 13, 1854; d. May 13, 1874.

- (4) Capt. Jeremiah Curtiss Merryman, b. Sept. 4, 1817; resides Brunswick, Me.; m., Sept. 4, 1845, Elizabeth Stover, b. Harpswell, Me., Sept. 7, 1821; daughter of Joseph Stover and Jane Hewey.
- (5) Jeannette S. Merryman, b. July 13, 1847; d. Sept., 1905.
- (5) Frederic Merryman, b. Oct. 6, 1855; d. July 29, 1857.
- (5) Edward J. Merryman, b. Oct. 28, 1858; d. Sept. 13, 1885.
- (5) Curtiss H. Merryman, b. Aug. 30, 1861.
- (5) Albert S. Merryman, b. May 8, 1865.
- (4) Capt. Paul Curtiss Merryman, b. April 22, 1820; d. Brunswick, Me., Sept. 17, 1893. He made many successful voyages to the China Islands and all the large South American ports, as well as to Liverpool, etc.; m., Sept. 9, 1851, Ann Eliza Skolfield, b. Nov. 8, 1833; resides Brunswick, Me.; daughter of Master George R. Skolfield and Ann Eliza Reed.
- (5) Eliza Reed Merryman, b. Harpswell, Me., Oct. 5, 1853; resides 91 Emery Street, Portland, Me.; m., Sept. 23, 1873, Willis Moreland Chenery, b. Yarmouth, Me., Dec. 4, 1850; merchant; wholesale importer and manufacturer; son of Moses Chenery and Catherine Rand.
- (6) Annie Caroline Chenery, b. Jan. 28, 1875; d. Dec. 30, 1879.
- (6) Bessie Moreland Chenery, b. March 10, 1876; resides at Mountain View Park, Cape Elizabeth, Me.; m., June 5, 1899, Andrew Sheldon Macreadie of Whitehorn, Scotland.
- (7) Margaret Willis Macreadie, b. Aug. 13, 1900.
- (7) Andrew Macreadie, b. April 3, 1904.
- (6) George Skolfield Chenery, b. June 24, 1879; d. Jan. 12, 1880.
- (6) Emma Williams Chenery, b. March 25, 1883; d. Sept. 11, 1902.
- (6) Oliver Henry Chenery, b. Dec. 23, 1885; traveling salesman.
- (6) Lida Merryman Chenery, b. Aug. 30, 1890.
- (5) Mary Curtiss Merryman, b. Nov. 4, 1855; d. June 29, 1859.
- (5) George Skolfield Merryman, b. Feb. 7, 1859; d. Jan. 13, 1862.
- (5) Fannie Skolfield Merryman, b. Feb. 27, 1861; m., Dec. 28, 1891, Fred E. Hall, b. Brunswick, Me., June 1, 1866; son of Daniel Hall and Mary J. ———.
- (6) Annie Merryman Hall, b. Nov. 15, 1893.
- (6) Ernest Hall, b. Aug. 22, 1898.

- (5) Alice Curtiss Merryman, b. Dec. 13, 1866; d. April 17, 1869.
- (5) Ernest Merryman, b. Dec. 2, 1869; clerk.
- (5) Curtiss Merryman, b. June 21, 1871; d. May 10, 1880.
- (5) Nellie Merryman, b. Dec. 6, 1874; graduated from Brunswick (Me.) High School, 1894.
- (5) Andrew Gibson Merryman, b. Nov. 6, 1878; farmer.
- (4) Capt. Hudson Bishop Merryman, b. Oct. 12, 1822; d. July 30, 1867; m., 1851, Elizabeth Rogers of New York.
- (5) William Henry Merryman, b. Feb., 1852; d. at New York; graduated at Bates College, Lewiston, Me.; a Free Baptist minister; married in New York state and had
- (6) Three children.
- (4) Mary C. Merryman, b. 1827; d. April 19, 1855; m., Jan. 10, 1854, Joseph James.
- (5) Annie James, b. Dec. 9, 1857; resides Brunswick, Me.
- (4) Capt. Henry A. Merryman, b. Dec., 1829; d. Dec. 26, 1868; killed by the falling of a wharf at Philadelphia, Pa.

CHAPTER III.

- (3) Mary B. Merryman, b. Aug. 6, 1789; d. Oct. 26, 1859; m., May 9, 1815, James Merryman[†], b. March 30, 1791; d. April 13, 1868; son of Thomas Merryman³ and Mary Melcher. (See records, pp. 20-23.)

CHAPTER IV.

- (3) Michael Merryman, b. June 4, 1792; d. Freeport, Me., Nov. 13, 1877; m., April 11, 1831, Anna Chase, who d. Jan. 25, 1855 (47y., Sm.); daughter of William Chase. He was a farmer and carpenter and lived many years at Freeport, Me.
- (4) Mary Alice Merryman, b. June 24, 1832; m. (first), July 16, 1853, Hiram Dennison of Freeport, Me.; m. (second), George Chandler.

Children of first husband:

- (5) Asenath M. Dennison, b. April 19, 1855.
- (5) George C. Dennison, b. March 9, 1860.

Children of second husband:

- (5) Lucy Chandler.
- (5) Helen Chandler
- (5) James Chandler.

- (4) Capt. George C. Merryman, b. Jan. 31, 1834; d. Sept. 12, 1869; resided Freeport, Me.; m. Sarah A. Dunning of Freeport, Me., who d. Nov. 16, 1870 (34y.).
- (4) Catherine L. Merryman, b. May 5, 1836; d. Jan. 13, 1882; m., Dec. 25, 1869, Eli H. Rogers, b. Freeport, Me., Jan. 19, 1834; son of Alexander Rogers and Sally Hodgkins.
- (4) Robert M. Merryman, b. Jan. 15, 1839; d. Feb. 15, 1900; resided Freeport, Me.; m. Eliza A. Rogers of Freeport, Me.
- (4) Washington Merryman, b. April 6, 1843.
- (4) Margaret A. Merryman, b. Oct. 31, 1848; d. Oct. 17, 1881; m. James D. Rogers of Freeport, Me.
- (4) Walter S. Merryman, b. Oct. 21, 1850.

CHAPTER V.

- (3) Hudson Merryman, b. Aug. 4, 1794; d. Dec. 14, 1797.

CHAPTER VI.

- (3) Abigail Merryman, b. Dec. 8, 1796; d. Feb. 19, 1873; m., Feb. 26, 1824, James Dunning, b. Dec. 16, 1793; d. Aug. 15, 1874; son of Benjamin Dunning and Anna Alexander.
- (4) Capt. Hiram A. Dunning, b. Jan. 15, 1825; d. San José, Cal., July 12, 1878; m., May 28, 1853, Elizabeth A. Allen.
- (4) Benjamin R. Dunning, b. Oct. 7, 1826; d. San Juan, Cal., July 23, 1878.
- (4) Mary Ann Dunning, b. Dec. 11, 1829; m., Feb. 23, 1854, Washington Libby of Portland, Me.
- (5) Four children.
- (4) Clement S. Dunning, b. July 15, 1836; m. (first), Fannie C. Eaton; m. (second), Abbie A. Davis.
- (4) Abigail B. Dunning b. Oct. 27, 1841; d. Nov. 13, 1865.

CHAPTER VII.

- (3) Hudson Merryman, b. Feb. 21, 1799; d. Oct. 17, 1885; m., Jan. 25, 1826, Asenath Merryman⁴, b. Nov. 24, 1806; d. Oct. 6, 1833; daughter of John Merryman³, Jr., and Elizabeth Stover; granddaughter of James Merryman² and Hannah Blake.
- (4) Eliza Ann Merryman, b. Aug. 30, 1826; m., Sept. 30, 1852, Alcot Stover⁶, b. Feb. 2, 1824; son of Isaac Stover⁵ and Sarah Bibber.

- (5) Flora A. Stover, b. April 29, 1859.
- (4) Lavina Merryman, b. Feb. 1, 1835; m. Walter Merryman.
(See records, p. 34.)
- (4) George William Merryman, b. Dec. 27, 1836; d. July 12, 1842.
- (4) Sylvester S. Merryman, b. Dec. 29, 1840; d. June 23, 1863;
m., Feb. 17, 1875, Susie Orr Skolfield, b. ———.
- (5) Georgia F. Merryman, b. Oct. 9, 1878.
- (5) Willie Merryman, b. Dec. 22, 1886.
- (4) George W. Merryman, b. June 9, 1843; m. (first), Hattie
Newell of Litchfield, Me., who d. 1878; m. (second), Han-
nah Alexander.
- (5) Hattie C. Merryman, b. April 8, 1886.
- (4) Frances M. Merryman, b. March 4, 1850; m., Oct. 26, 1894,
Paul Curtiss Merryman, b. May 22, 1838; son of Isaac
Merryman and Catherine Curtiss.
- (5) Flora Ella Merryman, b. Sept. 7, 1895.

APPENDIX.

NOTE 1.—Mr. Timothy Dunning Merryman's account of his trip over the Plains: "We crossed the Mississippi River Sept. 5, 1853, with a train of 12 wágons, one of these drawn by five yoke of oxen and having two drivers to each. Two horses were attached to each of our 12 wagons. In our party were 30 men and 24 women and children. We travelled through Iowa and Missouri without trouble and camped on the banks of the Missouri River, at the point where St. Joseph now stands, for a few days. Early in May I was sent across the Missouri River into the Indian Territory which was all the land west of the river then, to see how the pasturage was. I saw a sight which made by blood boil. A negro boy had attempted to escape to freedom and several men caught him with ropes, like a wild beast. They took him back to slavery and I could only pity him. I went out ten or fifteen miles and returned with the report that the grass was good, and on May 5 we started across the river for the land of the Indians and buffalo. Our company chose a captain, whose name was Andrew Perrine. He had crossed the Plains in '49. His duty was to go before the train in the afternoon and field a suitable camping place, with plenty of water and grass. We would halt about two hours before sunset, turn loose the stock and prepare meals and beds for the night. Then the men were organized into guards, three men in each guard, and three changes each night, so that each man must guard every third or fourth night for three or four hours. This guard was to keep a sharp lookout for the Indians. We travelled across the country along the South Platte River to old Fort Henry, then to Fort Laramie and thence through the Black Hills to the Sweet Water River. At a place called Devil's Gap I had the misfortune to break my wrist. There was no doctor in the train, but though we thought we had set it all right it has troubled me ever since. We crossed the divide in the Rocky Mountains, called the South Pass, where the waters flow eastward to the Mississippi River and westward to the Pacific Ocean. Very soon the Great American desert was reached and this was the worst part of the journey. Lack of water, scorching heat, night travel and reptiles were not pleasant. The sage bush, which we encountered next, was very disagreeable, as

we often had to cut our way through it. Our oxen were lame and sore and we shod them with shoe leather. When one became too lame to go further, we traded it for another as best we could, for there were cattle kept by traders along the way. The road was lined with emigrant wagons as far as the eye could see. We got along with very little sickness in our company. We had to keep a careful guard of our stock at night, as there were many thieves lurking about, and one night two of our best horses were stolen. Next morning a company of five men went out to find these horses, my brother, Ira, and I being two of them. We tracked the thieves all day, but could not get along very fast, as it was along the Humboldt River bottom. Late in the afternoon we saw the Indians whom we had been pursuing entering a swamp covered with pools of water. In this they mired our horses. It seemed by the deep tracks that two Indians must have been on each horse. Three of our men left horses with the other two, of whom I was one, and tried to reach the horses on foot, but failing, and seeing a short way back to camp, they started for it, leaving the two men waiting. Finally, darkness compelled me to return. My brother, Ira, would have returned to us, if the captain had not been angry at his disappointment and so would not allow him to do so. We could have reached and caught the thieves, if we had not feared an ambush.

"Soon after this, our company began to break up through dissatisfaction with different circumstances, and before we reached the Sierra Nevada Mountains we were left alone. We crossed these mountains in September, about five and a half months after leaving the Mississippi River. Mr. John Jackson of Mercer County, Ill., owned the team and outfit. His brother-in-law, Reuben Shields, who was afterwards in the Civil War, and myself had charge of the teams. They were all in good condition on arriving at Stockton, Cal., except one, which we had traded on the way. We stopped on a river in Calaveras County after a long and tedious trip, much harder than going to war, it seems to me. We remained there for 10 years, teaming and mining for a short time, and returned by steamer to New York City. I did not make a big strike in California, but by diligence and economy I was enabled to save \$500 a year. I worked my way over the Plains by driving a team and paying \$75. On my way to Illinois I stopped in Washington and had a very pleasant talk with President Lincoln. I prospered on the farm in Illinois and gave generously to churches and colleges. In April, 1886, I moved to San Jacinto, Cal., and built the first house in the town of Florida. There we set out an orchard of all kinds of citrus fruit, etc. I

moved to Los Angeles, Cal., in 1895. I now have 480 acres of land in Illinois, 160 acres in Nebraska and 204 acres in California."

NOTE 2.—The children of Lettice Ann Skolfield Merryman⁵, b. April 4 1834; d. Aug. 21, 1880, and David Woodman Toothaker, b. Oct. 1, 1830, and resides at Richmond, Me. (See p. 32.)

- (6) David Franklin Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., July 14, 1854; carpenter and builder at Kennebunkport, Me.; m. (first), Oct. 3, 1875, Mrs. Lizzie Hatch; m. (second), Dec. 25, 1896, Cora Lenora Duncan.

Children of first wife:

- (7) Byron Franklin Toothaker, b. Dec. 4, 1881; d. Aug. 5, 1882.
 - (7) Sarah Lettice Toothaker, b. April 17, 1883.
 - (6) Mark Eugene Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., June 13, 1857; resides Lynn, Mass.; boot and shoe manufacturer; m., June 19, 1878, Mary E. L. Hamel, who d. Lynn, Mass., June 27, 1878.
 - (7) Helena Toothaker, b. Kingston, N. H., March 23, 1879.
 - (7) Son, b. Nov. 3, 1881.
 - (7) Lizzie Toothaker, b. Jan. 30, 1883.
 - (7) Etta Winfield Toothaker, b. Jan. 5, 1887.
 - (6) Rebecca Alberta Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., Nov. 8, 1859; resides Chicago, Ill.; m., Dec. 2, 1882, Wilbur V. Barry of Litchfield, Me.; carpenter.
 - (7) Percy Barry, b. Portland, Me., Oct. 13, 1883.
 - (7) Son, b. Portland, Me., Oct. 18, 1887.
 - (6) George Holman Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., Jan. 27, 1862; resides Everett, Mass.; m., July 11, 1882, Henrietta W. Jaques of Richmond, Me.
 - (6) Frederick Lincoln Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., March 20, 1864; resides Salem, Mass.; m., April 16, 1885, Clara Adelaide Nason, b. New York City March 1, 1863.
 - (7) Lettice Toothaker, b. Oct. 9, 1886; d. June 12, 1887.
 - (6) Sarah Lizzie Toothaker, b. Richmond, Me., Feb. 13, 1866; d. Aug. 8, 1880.
 - (6) Mary Inez Toothaker, b. July 1, 1868.
 - (6) Eunice Hopkins Toothaker, b. March 25, 1871; d. March 26, 1871.
 - (6) Alonzo Grant Toothaker, b. March 3, 1874; resides Everett, Mass.; m., Nov. 18, 1896, Etta Maud Jaques.
- NOTE 3.—Full records of Mary Merryman Kincaid. (See p. 21.)
- (6) Mary Merryman Kincaid, b. Brunswick, Me., Aug. 4, 1844; resides Auburn, Me.; m., June 24, 1870, Rev. Reuben D. Osgood, b. Bluehill, Me., Feb. 1, 1836; d. Dec. 31, 1891; son of Daniel Osgood and Roxania Higgins.

- (7) Hattie May Osgood, b. March 7, 1872; graduated from Lewiston (Me.) Latin School, 1893; m. (first), June 29, 1897, Child of first husband:
 (8) Elizabeth Mary Lord, b. April 10, 1898.
 Dr. Herbert Lord, who d. Dec. 13, 1898; m. (second), July 30, 1904, Andrew W. Smart.
 Child of second husband:
 (8) Herbert Wilson Smart, b. Sept. 4, 1905.
- (7) David Earle Osgood, b. July 10, 1874; resides Brooklyn, N. Y.; graduated from Edward Little High School, Auburn, Me., 1893; in life insurance business; m., Sept. 7, 1897, Mary Bell Ward.
 (8) Alfred Earle Osgood, b. Dec. 6, 1900.
- (7) Mabel Estella Osgood, b. Aug. 25, 1876; resides Auburn, Me.; clerk; graduated from Edward Little High School, 1895.
- (7) Abbie Roxania Osgood, b. Feb. 15, 1882; graduated from Edward Little High School, 1901; teacher; resides Auburn, Me.
- (7) Grace Flora Osgood, b. Dec. 30, 1884; resides Winthrop, Mass.; stenographer; graduated from Edward Little High School, 1903.

NOTE 4.—Dr. Thomas J. Merryman⁶, p. 9, is one of the most earnest temperance workers. He has written many stirring poems, one of which is given below.

His daughter, Agnes Staples Merryman⁷, m., Sept. 3, 1901, Rev. Lyman Morse Denton, b. Digby, N. S., and is now pastor of the Baptist Church, Lincoln, Neb.

The son, William Albert Merryman⁷, m., Jan. 1, 1901, Mary Chapman.

(8) Louis Merryman.

A MOTHER'S LAMENT.

DR. T. J. MERRYMAN.

It was not in the roar of battle
 That my noble son went down:
 And not from the path of duty
 He was called to receive a crown.

It was not where shell and bullet
 Mow down with a deadly wound,
 But 'twas where the poison lurketh,
 Where a deadlier foe is found.

He fell not by Mauser bullets
In the isles beyond the sea;
But went down in our own dear country
Where to run we bow the knee.

It was not behind entrenchments
That my son's life-blood was shed;
But dishonored in the gutter
There he bowed his aching head.

It was not on picket duty
He received a fatal wound;
But where twines the deadly serpent,
Where its poison fangs are found.

It was not where the brave and noble
Are called to meet their death;
But 'twas where the drunkards gather,
With alcoholic breath.

It was not a shell's explosion
That laid his vitals bare;
But the appetite for liquor
That caught him in its snare.

He died not for love of country,
Nor his country's flag to save;
But the love of ardent spirits
Was what hurled him to his grave.

He died not to save our nation
And an honored grave to fill;
But to save the people's taxes
Where they license men to kill.

He was not in his country's service
To save a righteous cause;
But with thousands more he stumbled
Through his country's license laws.

Why, oh, why grant men a license
To sell what is known to kill,
And send mothers' precious darlings
A drunkard's grave to fill?

For, oh! when a drunkard dieth,
How it pierces a mother's breast;
For his spirit can never enter
That home of the good and blest.

I entreat you, Christian voter,
 Hear and heed a mother's call;
 Do remove this curse of curses,
 Or a thousand more will fall.

NOTE 5.—Fuller records of Harriet O. Barker (p. 18).

- (6) Harriet Otis Barker, b. Oct. 8, 1847; resides North Yarmouth, Me.; graduated from Brunswick (Me.) High School, Nov. 17, 1864; m., July 8, 1874, Rev. Jehiel Simmonds Richards, b. Bristol, Me., Aug. 1, 1847; a successful Congregational minister; graduated from Lincoln Academy, Newcastle, Me., 1868; from Bowdoin College, 1872; from Bangor (Me.) Theological Seminary, 1877; son of Jehiel S. Richards and Leona Coggan; has preached at Dexter, Alfred, Deer Isle and other Maine towns.
- (7) Raymond Christlieb Richards, b. July 6, 1876; d. Dec. 18, 1877.
- (7) Annie Gilman Richards, b. Jan. 19, 1880; graduated from Maine Eastern State Normal School, June 7, 1899; from North Yarmouth (Me.) Academy, 1902; Bates College, class of 1906.

NOTE 6.—Capt. David Merryman⁵ (p. 28). He went to sea when scarcely 14 years old, worked his way up until he was captain; he followed the sea for 26 years, sailing altogether to foreign ports. He then studied dentistry which he successfully practiced at Presque Isle, Me., for several years. His wife was b. at Brewer, Me., Jan. 14, 1840, and now resides at Boothbay Harbor, Me.

- (6) His daughter, Augusta Blanchard Merryman, graduated from Brewer (Me.) High School, 1891, and from Bangor (Me.) Training School for Kindergartners, 1892; a very successful teacher of music. Her husband, Freeman Charles Littlefield, b. Brewer, Me., Aug. 25, 1872, graduated from Bangor (Me.) Business College, 1892.

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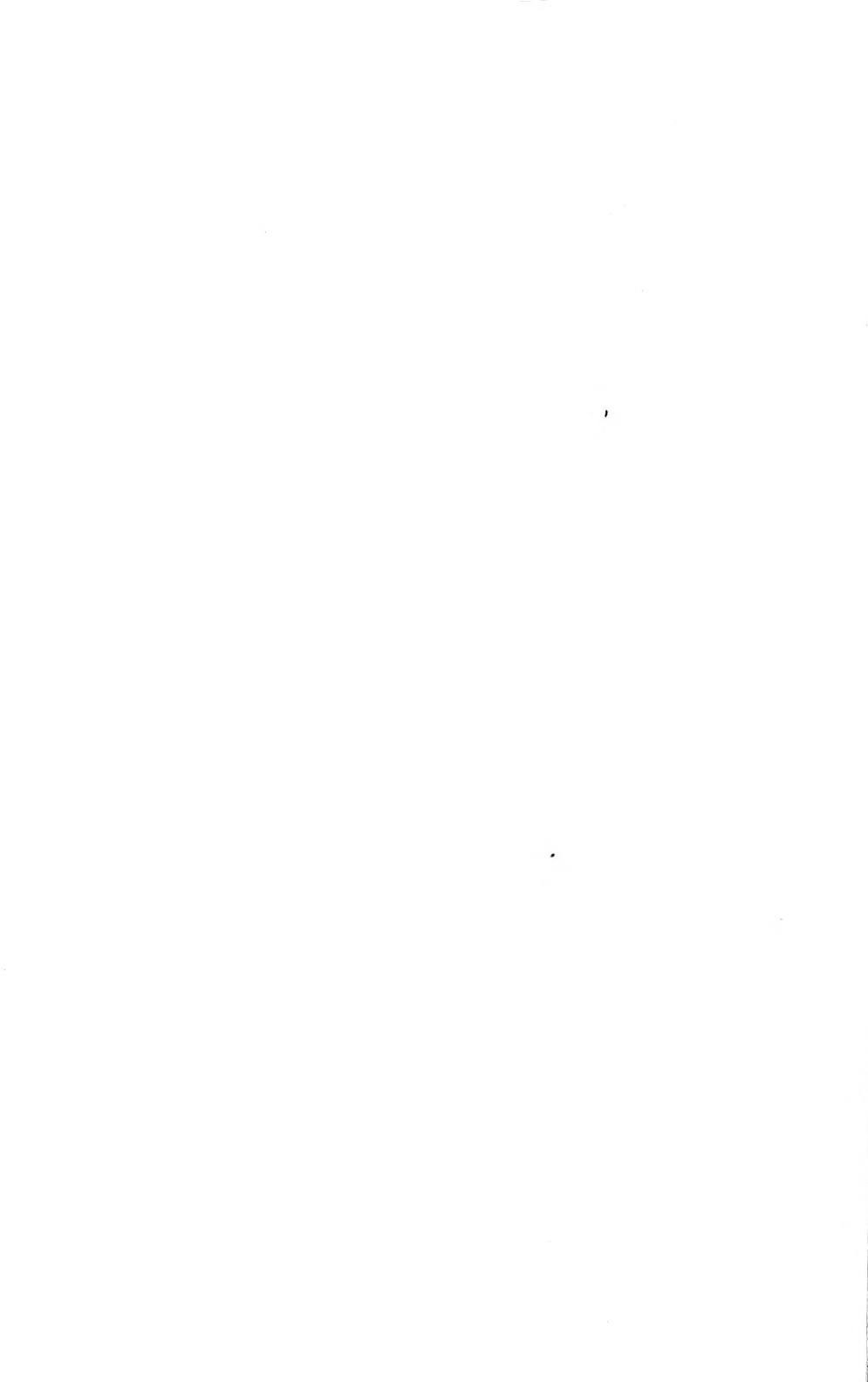
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